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CYCLONE.

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A NEW YORK CYCLONE.

A Fatal Wreck—Scooping Water Out of a Lake.

SYRACUSE N. Y., December 26—A cyclone from the southwest swept across Onondaga Lake at 10 o'clock this forenoon, prostrating many structures. It caught up and carried a great volume of water wildly before it and struck the barn of the People's street railway company, carried away the cornice and roof, overthrowing the front walls. A mass of brick and timber was hurled into the building, doing much damage. Charles A. Michels, the Assistant Superintendent, was instantly killed and several employes were more or less seriously hurt.

THE POWERS OF THE AIR.

A Tremendous Storm in New York and Pennsylvania.

NEW YORK, December 26.—A thunder storm, accompanied by a heavy wind, passed over this State this morning. At Buffalo the wind reached a velocity of sixty miles an hour but no damage is reported from that section. At Rochester considerable damage was done to the chimneys and out buildings.

At Union immense hail stones fell, and great damage was done to fruit trees.

LOCKHAVEN, Pa., December 26.—Heavy showers, accompanied by thunder and lightning and heavy rains, passed over the city this morning.

FROM BRAZIL.

Quiet in Rio Janeiro—Rioting Elsewhere.

NEW YORK, December 26.—The steamship Sireus which left Rio Janeiro December 4th, and arrived here today reports the arrival of several foreign warships. Among them the United States steamer Richmond had arrived in the harbor. Quiet reigned in the city, but a riot had taken place in the Rio Grande district, although no particulars could be learned up to the time of sailing.

THE DISASTER AT ANGELS.

It Is Believed That Nineteen Men Were Buried in the Mine.

SAN ANDREAS, Cal., December 26.—The latest reports from the Angels disaster are that seventeen, and probably nineteen, men are buried in the mine. All hope of ever recovering the bodies has been abandoned owing to the caving of the surface. The miners are now taking out ore, but work will probably be directed towards the spot where the bodies are buried.

HE IS SATISFIED.

A Husband Who Killed Himself and His Wife.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., December 26.—This morning at Ludlow John Bassett, a mill hand, killed his wife, stabbed himself six times and cannot recover. Jealousy was the cause of his action. He expressed himself as well pleased with his work.

TARIFF HEARINGS.

The First of a Long Series Given Today.

WASHINGTON, December 26.—The first of the series of tariff hearings mapped out by the House Committee on Ways and Means was held this morning, gentlemen interested in metals, ores and coral being permitted to give their views.

A Chicago Failure.

CHICAGO, December 26.—The Wabash Manufacturing Company, dealers in blank books and stationery, assigned today; liabilities, $200,000; assets, somewhat less. The failure grows out of the recent failure of the New York firms of Preble & Co. and Sheffield & Co.

Mixed Weather.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 26.—The forecast for California till 8 A. M. Friday: Fair weather, preceded by local rains in the southern portion.

A Fatal Blast.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., December 26—The People's line street railway barn's were blown down this morning, and several men were killed.

They Have Their Storms.

OSWEGO, N. Y., December 26.—A violent rain and hail storm from the northwest, accompanied by thunder and lightning, passed over this section this morning.

Green B. Raum is Sick.

WASHINGTON, December 26.—Commissioner Raum of the Pension Bureau is quite ill.

Death of Mrs. George H. Thomas.

WASHINGTON, December 26.—The widow of General George H. Thomas died suddenly last night at her residence here. She passed away as quietly as did her distinguished husband nineteen years ago at San Francisco.

Heard From.

NEW YORK, December 26.—The steamer City of Kingston, which it was feared was lost, has been heard from at the Barbadoes.

Grain Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 26.—Wheat, very dull. Buyer season, 1 34⅛; Buyer, 90, 1 39¼. Barley, quiet and steady. Buyer season, 90¾.

CHICAGO, December 26.—Wheat, December, nominal, 77¾; May, 82¾@82⅞. Corn, December, 31¾; May, 31⅞.

An Iowa College Burned.

TOLEDO, Iowa, December 26.—The main building of Western College was burned today; loss $150,000; insurance small. It will be rebuilt at once.

EVERY DAY BUT FOUR.

Give Us This Day Our Daily Storm and Deliver Us Not.

The storm has continued for twenty-one out of the twenty-five days of this month, and when the signal service predicted fair weather this morning, the weather clerk thought that he would show how near he could come to a [illegible] and yet live up to the [illegible] prediction. The rainfall for the month has been 11.05 inches and for the season 22.15 inches. Rain has fallen every [illegible] save four, the [illegible] as will be shown by the following table from Hutchinson's rain report:

Day.	Rainfall.
1st	.03
2d	.19
3d	.50
4th	.40
5th	[illegible]
6th	1.52
7th	.44
8th	1.10
9th	.12
10th	.36
11th	.75
12th	.51
17th	.59
18th	.06
19th	.21
20th	.72
21st	.01
22d	1.09
23d	.14
24th	1.35
25th	.24

LITTLE SMITH'S CHRISTMAS

A Celebration That Ended Under the Clock Tower.

A Small Man Who Had an Idea That a Holiday Is No Fun at All Without a Fight.

Christmas is one out of 365 days in the year, and does not come around so very often, so when Charles Smith sallied out yesterday morning he determined to have a good time. He made several visits to those places that are compelled, by the grace of the City Council, to pay $400 a year license. Then he adjourned to Frank Bisazza's Railroad restaurant on Franklin street, near Fourteenth street, and with the proprietor thereof, he ate a Christmas dinner. After he had disposed of one of Signor Bisazza's best six bit chicken dinners, they indulged in a "small bot," and then stepped outside to enjoy a cigar. Then it was that little Charles Smith began to feel the full effect of his wild celebration of Christmas.

"Whoop!" he shouted, as he began a war dance on the sidewalk. "This is Christmas. I've got to celebrate. Comes but once a year. Must fight. Want to lick some one."

Then the small man leapt into the air and planted a small fist in the face of his tall companion. The tall son of the Mediterranean felt wounded, both in his feelings and his face, and he extended one of his big arms, and it came in violent and bloody contact with little Mr. Smith's nose. This blow wounded the feelings and the face of Mr. Smith, and he announced that the insult could only be wiped out with blood. He ran rapidly around the corner and in a moment reappeared behind an enormous revolver. The revolver was pointed at Mr. Bisazza and Mr. Smith threw his weight on the trigger. No report shattered the atmosphere and no bullet perforated Mr. Bisazza. There was simply a short, sharp click, and both looked surprised. Little Mr. Smith grabbed his gun again and fired, and this time all his expectations were realized. There was a report and Mr. Bisazza staggered back, while little Mr. Smith ran around the corner again. This time it was Mr. Bisazza's feelings alone that were injured, but the floor held a big bullet. This was the reason why little Mr. Smith spent the remainder of his Christmas in charge of Chief Tompkins.

Little Charles Smith did not seem so happy this morning as his examination on a charge of assault to commit murder was set for December 31st. The charge of discharging firearms in the city limits was continued until tomorrow.

MR. GILPIN IS ANGRY.

He Says Somebody Told an Outrageous Lie.

Somebody has said that City Treasurer Gilpin has been running his office in the interest of banks in general, and the California Bank and Trust Company, of which his uncle, A. C. Henry, is President, in particular. This somebody has charged that Mr. Gilpin refused to cash his salary warrant on Saturday when there was money in the fund from which it was to be drawn, and that Mr. Gilpin told him that the money would not be ready for two weeks in order to get him to cash the warrant at the banks, and, finally, that A. C. Henry's bank is favored above all others.

"That is a lie. It is not a story, but it is a lie," said Mr. Gilpin, this morning, very forcibly. "I think that I know who the man who said that is, and I have loaned him money out of my pocket lots of times, and never charged him a cent. I don't care to mention names. There was but one warrant presented here on Saturday, that of D. C. Hinsdale, and that was cashed in full. We have never refused to pay a warrant while there was money in the funds, and apportionments have been made twice a month. As for opposing the transfer of $12,000 to pay the teachers' salary warrants, I had made the transfer before the Council authorized it under the section of the code allowing me to do so. I have been very particular not to give Mr. Henry's bank the bulk of the business, because it would look bad. The balance sheet will show that. The First National Bank has $18,000 more than Mr. Henry's bank, and as for the city not getting any interest, that is not our fault, as the law does not permit it. I have never sugested to anyone where they could shave their warrants, and I have refused to make any suggestion when persons have asked me. That is a lie made out of whole cloth."

Christmas of Liberty Lodge.

Liberty Lodge, No. 53, Knights of Pythias, will give a Christmas tree social at Fraternity Hall this evening. George Bishop, in the character of Santa Claus, will distribute presents to all the children present. There will also be a short musical and literary entertainment, including an address by Dr. W. M. Brown; recitations by Chris Haslett and Miss Etta Eiben and zither selections by Miss J. Kunauth.

RIOTING.

How the Trouble at Jessup Began.

Twenty Negroes and Two Whites Killed Yesterday.

Brutal and Murderous Treatment of Negroes at Jessup.

Preparing to Lynch Brewer and His Outlaws.

Special to The Tribune by the Western Associated Press.

TWENTY NEGROES KILLED

And Two White Men in the Riot at Jessup.

NEW YORK, December 26.—A Savannah special says twenty negroes were killed in the riot at and around Jessup yesterday. The Georgia Hussars of that city, under command of Captain W. W. Gordon, are patrolling the village this morning.

There is intense excitement over the killing of Deputy Marshal Matthew Barnhill and Lumberman W. H. Woods. Marshal D. Leggett and Station Agent M. J. Woods, who were badly wounded, are resting easily today and it is expected both will recover. While the negroes were retreating to the swamp several of their white pursuers were slightly wounded. Armed reinforcements from the neighboring villages arrived promptly, and with nearly all the able bodied whites of Jessup and many friendly negroes a descent was made on the rioters. The negroes were well supplied with Winchesters and revolvers, and made a sortie from one side of the swamp. They stood their ground for a very short time, as the scrub trees did not afford much protection. Several were shot down in the scramble for shelter on their retreat to the dense canebrakes. During the night occasional shots were heard in the village.

BRUTAL AND MURDEROUS.

The Treatment of Negroes Remaining at Jessup.

SAVANNAH, Ga., December 26.—The following was received from Jessup. A posse of twenty men, under the command of B. White, left for Lumber City to intercept Brewer and his gang, who, it is rumored, have gone there for reinforcements. The men just returned from the swamp report that four colored men were found dead. The jail was broken into early this morning and two negro prisoners were riddled with bullets. Another negro was found at home and shot through the heart. A large number of negroes were taken from their homes this morning and whipped, many of them being prostitutes. A crowd of white men went to several houses after breakfast this morning and compelled the negroes to leave. They punished some of them. The hussars have started for Savannah, but the infantry company of Brunswick will remain till tomorrow. The swamp where Brewer's gang are hiding will be searched this afternoon and if the negroes are found lynching will probably follow. The Coroner is now holding an inquest on the dead bodies.

HOW THE TROUBLE BEGAN.

Bob Brewer, the Notorious Outlaw, and His Rifle.

SAVANNAH, Ga., December 26.—Nothing additional about the Jessup riot has been received, but wild rumors are afloat that there was serious trouble there this morning. The military there is under the command of Captain Gordon of Savannah as follows:

Georgia Hussars, thirty-seven men; Brunswick rifles, fifty; Appling Grays, forty-five. In addition to these there are upward of 100 members of different companies in the surrounding counties. The trouble yesterday began at 10 A. M. Just as Chief Marshal Liggett was making his rounds he saw a negro rapidly firing a rifle. "It's Bob Brewer," somebody said. The name of the notorious outlaw and fugitive sent terror to the hearts of the citizens who watched the antics of Brewer. "It must be stopped," said Officer Leggett. He then went into his store and arming himself with a shotgun deputized William Austin, R. Jackson, and W. T. Reddish to arm themselves and go with him to arrest the man Gilbert.

REMEMBERED HIS DEPUTIES.

Sheriff Hale's Neat Gift to His Faithful Men.

Sheriff W. E. Hale did not forget his deputies yesterday. Prior to his departure south he made arrangements with a jeweler to make badges for Under Sheriff Harlow and Deputies Morrison, Alden, Jamieson, and Woolsey. The matter was a secret, and the deputies were not aware that provision had been made for them until they were presented with the badges yesterday. The badges are of gold and are valued at $40 each.

Change of Venue Demanded.

In the suit of J. S. Derby against the New Zealand Fire and Marine Insurance Company the defendant has demanded a change of venue to San Francisco. The plaintiff asserts that a change of venue is not necessary, as Hugh Craig, the agent for the defendant, resides here, and nearly all the witnesses in the case are residents of this city.

Smilie's Bill Audited.

City Auditor Snow audited the bill of Robert Smilie for $8270 for the last payment for rebuilding the High school after the first fire. Of this $1100 was for extra work.

TREMBLING.

Insurance Compact in Peril.

Local Underwriters Hold a Secret Conference.

As Oakland Decides, So Decides the Rest of the Coast.

The Union May Be Fractured by the Complaints of Discrimination

An Event of Extraordinary Importance to the People of the Entire Coast Occurring in This City

Oakland insurance agents are now in the worst state of ferment known since insurance became a prominent industry in the city. For some time past many of the Oakland managers and agents have been very much displeased with the burdensome rating of the compact by which they are all bound, and have complained bitterly. Notwithstanding these complaints, however, the iron bound compact has refused to yield a peg, and the result has been that Oakland has paid more money, in comparison to its business, into the trust than any other place in the State. San Francisco has looked upon Oakland as a young stripling unable to have a voice of her own, or assert any rights belonging to her, and as the compact that binds the whole State is chiefly regulated by the demands of San Francisco, Oakland's rights have been correspondingly ignored.

Oakland agencies have felt this galling restriction for a long time, and little by little have been overstepping the terms of the compact. The first act of that kind led to successive acts, till really the agreement stood in danger of being wrecked altogether.

The managers of the trust have seen the danger, and are exerting every effort at their command to avert it. This forenoon a meeting of all the insurance agents of Oakland was held in the Galindo Hotel and a heated conference of nearly three hours duration followed.

Just what took place Mr. Stillman, manager of the compact, or the Pacific Insurance Union, politely, but firmly, declined to reveal, even to the extent of a hint, saying that it is purely a matter of concern to the insurance men only and is none of the business of the public at large. There was too great an absence of harmony, however, to keep secret all that took place. After selecting A. G. Snyder for chairman and A. G. Davis for secretary, Mr. Stillman announced that the purpose of the meeting was to devise some means of bringing the insurance men of Oakland into closer harmony, and see if the ruinous practice of giving indiscriminate rebates and commissions could not be stopped.

It may be said that if all the agents had adhered strictly to the compact no objectionable rebates or commissions would be paid, but here is where all the trouble lay, and it was to cure this evil that Mr. Stillman called the meeting.

The sentiment of the agents was much divided, and those who had felt the injustice of the compact told Mr. Stillman so in plain terms. They furthermore refused to sign an agreement, which Mr. Stillman had prepared, believing that it would only renew and strengthen the fetters of the compact. Mr. Stillman urged upon them the wisdom of keeping united, and he virtually admitted that if Oakland refused to be bound by the terms of his agreement it would jeopardize the compact of the whole State and coast.

As the agencies of Oakland are now conducted regardless of the compact, every person on the street may become a solicitor and those agents who are salaried may give any percentage as commission or rebate demanded up to 30 per cent. By the terms of Mr. Stillman's agreement no company can have more than one solicitor, and his commission must not exceed 15 per cent. The agents themselves, not salaried, are limited to 20 per cent., and every policy issued must be subjected for approval to the management of the compact.

The agreement did not meet a hearty reception, as only comparatively few of the agents signed. The principal companies and agencies of the city refused to be bound, namely, the Home Mutual, the Oakland Home, the Fireman's Fund, the Anglo Nevada, the New Zealand, the California and several others.

During the controversy the proposition was advanced to organize a local compact, that should have first and foremost the power to establish its own rating. This plan met with greater support than any other advanced, although it was not definitely matured. The advantage of a local compact will be the fixing of rates alone. It will still be subject to the State trust.

So great was the difference of sentiment among the agents that a definite and harmonious result was out of the question, and another meeting, it is thought, will be called in the near future. That Oakland will ever again be bound by the cast iron conditions of the compact, however, is believed generally by the insurance men to be out of the question.

WHAT THE AGENTS SAY.

Some in Favor of a Local Compact or Union.

J. H. Troy, agent for the Commercial Union Assurance Company, favored the formation of a local board.

"The whole matter is simply in abeyance," he said, "until some of the agents who do not thoroughly understand the intent of the organization consider the propositions that have been presented. The principal object of such a board will be to legislate on local ratings and business and recommend modifications changes or reductions to the Pacific Insurance Union. If a building is overrated it will be the duty of the board to recommend a reduction. In my opinion, such a board properly organized and conducted [illegible]."

H. T. Smith, representing several [illegible] the grounds that it would tend to enforce that clause of the constitution of the union providing that each company shall be represented in [illegible] district by only one agent.

"One agent [illegible]" said [illegible] organization of a [illegible] to relieve insurance business of this city and district of a lot [illegible] who have fastened upon it, to the detriment of legitimate agencies. If the compact would enact laws that will drive these people out of the business great benefit will accrue to those who are regularly accredited. Besides there are a number of men in this community who are insurance agents only incidentally—they have other and, to them, more important business. These occasional agents are also a detriment to the business of those who are in the insurance business solely, and I believe that a local board would so regulate the business that all these impediments to legitimate business would be cleared away."

W. F. Blood, secretary of the Oakland Home Insurance Company, was inclined to oppose to organization of the board on the grounds that it was proposed to enforce a recent amendment to the constitution of the Pacific Insurance Union limiting the number of agents representing each company.

"This amendment," said Mr. Blood, "provides that each company shall be represented by only one agent. This is manifestly an injustice to those companies whose volume of business is so large that several agents are required for its transaction. Take the Oakland Home for instance. By reason of our personal connections and the fact that we are a locally organized company we have built up a business requiring certainly more than one agent, and to compel us to transact our business with only one agent is manifestly an injustice not to say absurd. A local board of newspaper men might as well dictate and limit the circulation of the newspapers. An amendment to the constitution of the union was forced through at a time when the integrity of the compact was in a critical condition, and it was voted for by many who do not approve of it simply because it was threatened that if the amendment was not adopted, certain companies would withdraw. In this city the reduction of agents is favored, particularly by an agent who has heretofore had a virtual monopoly in a certain class of business, but whose monopoly is now being seriously interfered with by several agents who are reaching out for his constituency. Of course any such propositions as the reduction of agents will meet with a stubborn resistance on the part of those companies doing a heavy business, and the result will be a repeal or new enforcement of the amendment."

H. F. Gordon, manager of the Alameda county branch of the Home Mutual Insurance Company, said that in his opinion the matters considered at the meeting are not for the public, and he politely declined to give any information. He said, however, that every insurance agency in this city was represented at the meeting.

A. G. Davis, manager of the Oakland branch of the New Zealand Insurance Company, who was elected secretary of the meeting held in the parlors of the Galindo Hotel this morning refused to give the names of those present. He stated however that the object of the meeting was to devise some means by which the present state of affairs pertaining to rebates and the giving of commissions indiscriminately might be stopped, and that suggestions were offered by Messrs. Gamble, Smith, Tyrrell, Benham, Fish, Gordon, Davis, and others.

THE SUBSCRIBERS.

The Agents Who Signed Manager Stillman's Agreement.

The agents who did sign the agreement were George B. Seaman, representing the Lyon, Southern California, and North American Companies; H. T. Smith, who represents the Caledonia and several other companies, mostly foreign and Eastern; John Troy, Strong & Co., who also represent Eastern and foreign companies; and two others whose names could not be learned.

DEATH OF MRS. VILAS.

A Bereavement That Brings Sorrow to Many Tender Hearts.

The sad news of the death in New York of Mrs. Vilas, formerly Miss Lizzie Harrington, a bright and charming lady, has been received by her relatives in this city. Before her marriage Mrs. Vilas frequently visited her aunt, Mrs. J. P. Dyer of Jackson street, and hence became known to many in this city—and liked by as many as knew her. Her husband is general manager of the Fifth Avenue Hotel in New York, and it was Mrs. Vilas's pleasant custom to entertain in a most hospitable manner, California acquaintances visiting the metropolis. Her graciousness and kindness endeared her to many, and keen are the pangs consequent upon her death.

The only information received by the relatives of Mrs. Vilas about the death is a brief telegram announcing her decease on Saturday morning last.

Where Is Keith?

C. E. Keith is reported as missing from 313 Sixth street. He is a young carriage painter, and had become disgusted with life and disappeared a week ago, leaving a wife and little child.

For the Sabbath School.

A Christmas tree and festival for the Sunday school for the Chase street church will be held at Hansen's Hall Friday night.

A JILTED LOVER.

A Wild Man Tries to Climb the Atmosphere.

A FALL FROM A ROOF TO THE GROUND.

Unrequited Affection Drives All the Senses From the Head of a Centerville Swain.

Frank S. Gullarte, a man about thirty years of age, made things very lively at Centerville yesterday afternoon. Gullarte was in love with a young lady who failed to reciprocate the devotion he felt for her.

About three weeks ago she married, and it is said that the jilted lover has been brooding over the matter until he became insane.

However that may be, nothing strange was noticed in his actions until yesterday afternoon. He was sitting in a room in his house near Centerville when he suddenly gave a wild yell and rushed out through the door.

In a moment he had become a raving maniac, and imagined that he was being pursued by demons, who were spitting fire upon him.

The insane man jumped through the skylight out upon the roof, and made gesticulations as though trying to climb, believing that he could climb to heaven from the roof of the house.

Constable Trefry was summoned, and he assembled a posse of about a dozen men and with this force made an effort to capture the maniac.

No one could persuade Gullarte to come down from his high perch, and he raced back and forth on the edge of the slippery roof, the spectators being fearful that any moment he might fall headlong to the ground. It was suggested that a rope be secured and an attempt be made to lasso the madman.

This, however, was not necessary, as Gullarte, as was expected, missed his footing and went darting through space but was fortunate enough, however, to alight on his feet on the ground.

Immediately he ran away, jumping over high fences with the greatest ease, and in close pursuit were a dozen men.

After an exciting chase and a desperate struggle the maniac was overpowered, and this morning was brought to the county jail, where he engaged in a knock out match with a redhot stove. This afternoon he was committed to the asylum by Judge Greene.

SAID ON THE STREET.

The ladies of the Unitarian Society compiled a little book of poems and printed it under the title of "Borrowings." Three thousand copies were printed, and of this number 2000 have been sold.

T. Harney was the coachman of Mrs. Julia Ward Howe many years ago. He now lives in San Francisco, and, seeing in the papers that Mrs. Howe is on this coast, he wants to see her to remind her of old time drives. He called today upon Rev. Charles W. Wendte to learn if he can see Mrs. Howe.

Joaquin Miller is discouraged at his failures to make trees grow on Goat Island. After the last fire that destroyed the trees the poet gave up the plan and now devotes himself to his orchard and farm near Fruit Vale. He is fond of olive trees and sits in his "cathedral," as he calls his house, and listens to the cooing of the doves nestling in the dark gray leaves and interprets the soft sounds into words.

The Czar of Russia, the King of Portugal and Councilman Wakefield have had the influenza, but Mayor Glascock is still free from the disease, though he was nearly drowned while duck hunting.

SOLOMON'S MERRY CHRISTMAS.

Why He Was Arrested for Disturbing the Peace.

Solomon Baumgarten spent a portion of his Christmas in the city prison, though that made little difference to Solomon. Solomon used to live in a house on Sixth street before he was divorced. When Mrs. Baumgarten obtained a separation from him she sold the house to Jacob Pantosky, but Soloman continued to reside there. Jacob yesterday went to take charge, but Solomon refused to vacate, on the grounds that it was a homestead and his wife had no right to sell it. There were words that were not wishes for a merry Christmas and a blowing of police whistles.

"And they came down and arrested me," said Solomon disgustedly.

This morning the case went over until tomorrow, to allow him to consult a lawyer.

AMUSEMENTS.

Miss Helen Blythe, the emotional actress, will play at the Oakland Theater on Friday and Saturday evenings of this week. Miss Blythe is young, beautiful and gifted. She was for three years leading lady at Daly's Theater, New York, having succeeded Miss Clara Morris. "Mother's Love," the play for Friday evening, is a story of hearts and home, written by Joseph F. Brien, who takes the leading parts in Miss Blythe's company. He played Romeo to Neilson's Juliet and is a well known actor. On Saturday evening the play will be "The Creole."

The Berkeley Branch.

The recent rains have so washed the local tracks out that a trip to Berkeley much resembles a ride over a corduroy road. The worst places on the Berkeley road are between Shell Mound and Golden Gate, and between B street and Emeryville. Superintendent Wilder has put on a gang of men to repair these places.

Mrs. Griffin's Peace.

Margaret Sullivan is accused of disturbing the peace of Mrs. M. C. Griffin yesterday afternoon. A complaint has been filed against her in Judge Ogden's court.

BLUE EYES CLOSED

Pretty Nellie Thompson's Lively Career.

A MOTHER AND DIVORCED AT SIXTEEN

The Leader of a Fast Set, Then the Wife of William F. Dewey, Then Dead in Paris.

A private telegram received in San Francisco yesterday announces the death, on Christmas morning, of the wife of William P. Dewey. Death was the result of a cold contracted two weeks ago, terminating in pneumonia. Mrs. Dewey was a stepdaughter of Harry Inwall of this city, and old residents will remember handsome Nellie Inwall, who, at the age of 15 years, married dashing debonair Charlie Thompson, one of Jerry Haniffin's barkeepers. At this time Nellie was one of the prettiest girls that passed along Broadway, or sauntered on the sunny side of Kearny or Market streets, her golden hair like a crown of sunshine on her brow, and her glorious blue eyes flashing or melting as her varying emotions dictated. It was "o'er young" that she should marry though, and troubles came to disturb the peace of the fair haired child wife's mind. Her husband was inconstant—she was jealous. Even when a little baby girl came to them a year after—thirteen years ago today—the cloud of domestic doubt and marital infelicity did not clear away.

Whether her suspicions were founded on fact or not, it is nevertheless true that Nellie Thomson suspected her handsome husband of looking only too favorably upon another girl, a school mate of his wife, too, and at one time her dearest friend and companion. It could not last, and one day the little household was torn asunder and Thompson fled from Oakland. It may have been that Nellie's mother had something to do with the sudden movement—perhaps not—it was a domestic affair, and nobody's business.

At 16 Mrs. Thompson was divorced from her husband on the grounds of desertion and went to live with her grandmother, Mrs. Hanlon, in San Francisco—wife, mother, civilly widowed, and handsomer than ever. Time went on; the world turned round and round, and vicissitudes flowed into the life of the girl. Her mother died, her stepfather married again, her baby girl joyed her heart, and she began to reign a queen in a coterie that reveled on the right side of life. Admired and courted by scores of men about town she ruled them like a princess, holding them at arms length. Vivacious, bright in conversation, fond of the pleasures that make the lives of a certain stratum of society, better or worse as excess or moderation of indulgence influences them, pretty Nellie Thompson led a sort of Bohemian existence until she met W. P. Dewey, the son of Squire P. Dewey, the rich stockbroker. That was about three years ago—it may have been more—but Dewey was certainly on the shady side of forty-five at that time, and his heart was so thoroughly snared in the golden web of the blue eyed woman's hair that he married her—and they were happy. A few months ago they went to Europe and were on their way to Italy when death closed the volume of her life and laid it away forever. Mrs. Dewey's mother was Mrs. Achey before she married Inwall. Achey was a "sporting man" in Indianapolis, and was killed in a quarrel over money matters. Mrs. Achey's sister is married to John Bruning, the candy manufacturer at the corner of Seventh and Washington streets, in this city. The latter received a letter from Mrs. Dewey about two weeks ago announcing that it was their intention to return to California in about a year for permanent residence.

FATHER McNALLY'S SCHEME.

He Will Fix the Poor Box That Thieves Can See Into it.

The charity box at St. Patrick's Church in West Oakland was broken into after service yesterday, but the thief or thieves failed to find any money in it. Father McNally gave orders to the vestryman to take the money out of the box as soon as the service was over, which was done. This is not the first time the poor box has been broken open. Similar burglaries have been committed six or seven times in the last two years. No money was found at any time. Father McNally intends to have a new box made with a glass front so as to enable the thief to look into the box before breaking it.

JUST AT WOMANHOOD.

Death of Miss Livermore From a Cold Contracted at a Lawn Party.

On Christmas Day Miss Grace Livermore, daughter of H. P. Livermore, died at her father's residence in San Francisco. The illness that proved fatal was caused by a cold, contracted at a lawn party given at Rockridge Park, Mr. Livermore's place near this city. Miss Livermore was an esteemed young lady. She attended school at Mills Seminary, and was one of the debutantes in society this season. Her age at the time of death was 20 years and 8 months.

Clerk and Cleric.

Deputy County Clerk, Rev. George W. Bothwell, married Henry Hildebrand and Caroline Richborn at the County Clerk's office late Tuesday afternoon.

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NILES.

Christmas Day at the Junction of the Railroads.

L. C. Pease of San Francisco is stopping in town.

William Catlin of Berkeley is in Niles for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. G. Clement of Pleasanton has been visiting in town.

Mrs. Cushman and Mrs. M. B. Judd visited in San Jose last week.

Mrs. Charles Hadsell of Sunol visited Mrs. L. Babb during the week.

A. Herbert of Honolulu took a survey of the nursery grounds last Tuesday.

Mrs. B. Abernethy will spend the holiday time with her relatives in San Francisco.

C. W. Reed Jr. went to Sacramento on Saturday to pass Christmas day with his parents.

Mrs. A. Peterson of San Francisco is spending some time at the house of Mrs. L. Baub.

Mr. and Mrs. Payson and Miss Tripp of Berkeley spent Christmas Day at Judge Tilden's.

Charles H. Shinn will be a contributor for the *Wasp* of San Francisco under the new management.

Charles Sykes of San Francisco was stopping with the family of S. Easterday several days last week.

A. W. Pattiani of Oakland called in Niles on Saturday on his way to look after building contracts in Gilroy.

Joseph Shinn is suffering from the all prevading ailment—influenza—and has been confined to the house for several days.

The Bible class of the Sunday school is invited to spend next Monday evening at the house of James Shinn for a social reunion.

A. de La Rosa of San Jose exercised a span of beautiful horses by driving to Niles and about the grounds of the California Nursery on Thursday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Chestnutwood of Santa Cruz spent several days last week with Mr. Tilden's family. They were on their way to Stockton to spend the holidays.

A rumor about town is to the effect that one of our older residents will soon take to himself another companion to console him in his loneliness. The lady chosen is from Oakland.

The Sacramento train was delayed two hours on Tuesday afternoon by a land slide in the canyon. Another train was made up and sent to the relief of the waiting passengers.

Five boxes of oranges were shipped to San Francisco on Monday from the Mayhew grove at the Sulphur Spring. The San Francisco *Bulletin* of Tuesday evening gives a very complimentary notice of the same.

Despite the heavy rain of last Saturday, Mr. Maar conducted the usual church service, and the offerings of the Sunday school children were gathered in a large box for shipment to the Children's Hospital in San Francisco.

Mrs. Brazea, wife of Antone Brazea, one of the workmen employed at the California Nursery, died last Thursday morning in confinement. One of the twin babes born at the time lived while the other died with the mother at its birth. The burial took place on Friday.

John Tyson has been suffering for over a week with an inflamed hand, caused by a splinter of wood making a bad wound in the flesh. Dr. Young, who was called to examine the hand, felt for some time that there was danger of lockjaw resulting, but hopes to be able to lance the hand some time this week and that improvement may follow.

The schoolboys play football, with which game they amuse themselves during pleasure hours. Ben Sanborn in kicking the ball severely injured the large cord of the heel not long since. The young man was crippled for several days, and the effect of the injury will probably remain with him for some time.

The rain still falls, but as a subject of conversation it is getting to be somewhat stale. Eastern visitors are imbued with a complete disgust of the glorious climate. The surface of the earth is fast becoming a lake. The Stayton almond orchard stands in a shallow expanse, while two boards of the fence only are visible for some distance. The lagoon can soon be called an inland sea, for it already covers a considerable area of land. On Monday .93 of an inch of rain fell. On Tuesday the season's rainfall measured 19.40 inches, with rain still pouring down. Alameda creek is a muddy river, and creek beds and gullies are full everywhere to overflowing.

The Spare Minute Circle held its regular meeting last Saturday evening. There was a good attendance of young people despite the storm and a pleasant evening was spent by all. After a preliminary business meeting, games and a general good time filled the remainder of the evening. The next meeting will be held on New Year's eve at the house of H. G. Ellsworth. A fine programme is provided—there will be a candy pull and a supper. After which the company will adjourn to the church to watch the old year out and ring in the New Year.

The new lamps for the church purchased by the Spare Minute Circle were hung in place on Tuesday.

The dedication of the Congregational Churches of Niles and Mission San Jose took place today. The services were held in Niles at 11 A. M. and at the Mission at 7:30 P. M., and were of interest at both places. The programme for Niles was as follows: Invocation, J. H. Warren, D. D.; hymn by the congregation; reading of the Scriptures, Rev. W. W. Madge; vocal selection, seminary quartet; statement of trustees; vocal duet; address, Rev. C. D. Barrows; dedicatory prayer, Rev. W. C. Pond; vocal selection, seminary quartet; address, Rev. Thomas Bacon; hymn by the congregation; benediction, Fred H. Maar.

The little eleven months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sharpe met with rather a strange injury not long since. In creeping about the floor a needle became imbedded in the flesh about halfway between the ankle and knee. The parents' attention was first attracted by an inflamed and discolored spot. As the inflammation increased poultices were applied, and after the swelling was reduced, the needle could be plainly felt in the flesh. Dr. Young successfully extracted the offending little instrument on Saturday last in perfect condition except being tarnished from its short journey.

Christmas Day gatherings—Mrs. D. M. Connor entertained a group of family relatives from Irvington and Oakland. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bonner Jr. spent the day with the Bonner family in Sunol. The Overacker families, with relatives of the Bonner and Tyson households gathered at the residence of Howard Overacker. Ira P. Rankin and Miss Cook of San Francisco spent the day with the Ellsworths. The different members of the Thane family in San Francisco convened in Niles at the house of J. F. Thane. The Mayhew family and Oakland relatives met under the roof of G. E. Chittenden. Mr. and Mrs. Crump, the Hunt and other relatives from Oakland took Christmas dinner at the house of H. E. Mosher. C. E. Brownell of San Jose dined with Mr. Dickey's family. Miss Jane Smith spent the day with Professor Durham's family in Irvington. There were Christmas trees and gatherings of children in the Tilden, Dickey, Mayhew, and other families.

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It takes considerable skill and taste to decorate a window for the holiday season, and in some of the larger cities of the Eastern States men are especially employed in this kind of work who command large salaries and who do nothing but trimming windows and decorating stores. We believe there are not many professional window trimmers in this State, but the work on some of them is certainly very good and shows good taste. This is especially so in the store and show windows of J. S. Gilmore & Co.'s, large dry goods establishment at the corner of Thirteenth and Washington streets, where there is an immense disply of Christmas goods arrayed and displayed in a most tempting manner, causing many of the admirers to wish for a longer purse, that they might indulge more extravagantly. This stock of Christmas goods seems to be illimitable, and purchasers of goods will find that a visit to this store will repay them for the trouble. Their store is illuminated by three large electric lights and several small incandesent electric lamps, and makes a brilliant spectacle in the evening.

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MARKET STREET HOUSE, 8TH and Market streets, newly furnished with all the comforts of a hotel. Rooms in suits or single.

PRIVATE FAMILY BOARDING house, just opened; everything new; at 1504 San Pablo avenue; pleasant sunny rooms single or ensuite, with or without board; table supplied with the very best; pure artesian water. oc23-xc

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WANTED — IN A DESIRABLE neighborhood, three or four furnished rooms for light house keeping by a family without children; please state location and rent. Address P., box 2, this office. de23-1wx

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WANTED-- SUITE AND BOARD for gentleman, wife and baby; near local trains; references required; explain fully. L. M., box 2, this office. de19-1wx

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED IN a private family by a family of three; location, above Seventh street and near Broadway Address A. M., box 2, TRIBUNE office.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED BY single gentleman in Oakland, in private family. State terms, which must be moderate, and address D. T. L., TRIBUNE office. de23-1w

Flats to Rent.

FURNISHED FLAT FOR LIGHT housekeeping; 4 rooms; house new and everything neat; location desirable. Apply A. C. GILBERT & Co., 420 Eighth st. de20-1w

TO LET—A HANDSOME FLAT OF 4 rooms and bathroom; fitted with all modern improvements, gas, grates, tiled walnut mirror, mantel, marble washstands, ventilators, and sanitary plumbing; halls and stairs carpeted by owner. Apply to E. A. BUSHELL, 1249 Broadway. de26-1wx

FOR RENT-A NEW SIX ROOM lower flat with bath; 2 minutes' walk from Oak street station; possessing all the most modern improvements, such as gas, hot and cold water connections, sanitary stone laundry tubs, granite sinks, nickel plated plumbing fixtures, electric bells etc. Rent $35 to a permanent tenant. Apply at 209 Eighth street. no18

FOR RENT — FLATS OF THREE and four rooms each for housekeeping, in the Hanlin block, corner Nineteenth street and San Pablo avenue. Apply at 1463 San Pablo avenue, or to J. J. HANLIN. fy21-o

Houses to Rent.

TO RENT -- HOUSE 7 ROOMS, bath; 2 stories, bay window; modern conveniences; 2 blocks from railroad station; low rent; artesian water free. Apply 931 Pine street, West Oakland. de17-2w

HOUSE TO RENT AND FOR SALE. Apply to DR. SAM. MERRITT, Madison street. no5

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FOR RENT — HOUSE OF FOUR rooms; completely furnished; sunny and desirable; in the rear; rent, without children, $14. Apply at 318 Third street. de20-1w

Halls to Let.

MONTANA HALL, TO LET WEDnesday; Thursday, Saturday and Sunday evenings. 1160 Seventh street, Adeline station. de2-1ax

Stores to Rent.

ONE IN EAST OAKLAND, CENtrally located, two in Temescal, living rooms attached; reasonable rent. Apply at 409 Twelfth street. de7-1a

For Sale.

$4.50, $4 50, $4 50, $4 50, $4 50 each, all new patent kitchen tables, flourbins, bread boards, knife drawers, and high priced stoves sell em $6 50; we are wholesale agents; you leave your order now, and at H. SCHELLHAAS', 408 Eleventh street.

A NICE CHICKEN RANCH FOR sale; opposite High street station, Alameda, about 2 acres; the rent $50 a year. For particulars apply at the Home Bakery, opposite High street station. de13-o

CHOICE FRESH JERSEY AND Holstein cows for sale at 1720 Thirteenth avenue, East Oakland. de21-1wx

FOR SALE CHEAP—A GENTLEman's full dress suit, made of the best West of England cloth. I. WARD, Park avenue and Hollis street, Oakland. de26-1wx

FOR SALE--A GOOD PAYING SAloon and grocery store in a good location; a long time established. Address T. R. BURNS, Employment and General Agent, 862 Broadway. de21-1wx

FOR SALE—A PERFECTLY GENtle buggy horse, harness and two seated family wagon or single buggy; also one heavy spring wagon, one horse, harness and cart for $85; on installments if desired. Apply at 1525 Broadway, corner Twenty-first street, or at 1062 Broadway (office of the Domestic Sewing Machine). au29-o

FOR SALE-- FRESH COWS AND horses for cash; or on installments; cows to rent by the month; horses and buggies to let cheap, fine manure for sale; a fine large bay mare suitable for a private carriage also as fine a single footer under the saddle and will trot in harness 3 minutes'. Apply to Sixth and Alice streets.

THE FURNITURE OF A FLAT OF 4 rooms for housekeeping for sale. 1060 Alice street. de21-1wx

TWO CHOICE, BLOODED, DARK red, yearling Devon bulls for sale. Apply to R. E. ROWLAND, Orinda Park, Contra Costa county, or newstand, corner Tenth street and Broadway. mr25-o

WE ARE THE PEOPLE. HAVING purchased the entire stock of a toy store and will close the goods out at your own option; scrap books, tin whistles, accordions, drums, dolls at less than half price; see them at the old reliable, H. SCHELLHAAS, 408 Eleventh street.

Educational.

GRAND PRIZE MASQUERADE ball of the Elite Social Club Dancing School in honor of their first anniversary, at Cavalry Hall, Christmas Eve. December 24th.

M. Peter, Costumer of San Francisco, will be at the hall on the afternoon of the 24th; prizes on exhibition at W. H. NOLAN'S SHOE STORE, 1071 Broadway.

FRENCH LANGUAGE TAUGHT IN one year by Professor Clerc, author of "The Essentials of the French Language," a new method, remarkable for its simplicity, brevity and completeness, now successfully used as a text-book in California College and other institutions; private lessons at pupil's residence, $1 a lesson; evening classes at Dr. Sayonna Clerc's office, 1240 San Pablo avenue, $2 50 per month; references, Rev. Dr. Morse, President of California College. Apply at 1240 San Pablo avenue, Oakland.

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G. A. LATHROP, M. D., PHYSICIAN and surgeon; office and residence removed to 909 Myrtle street, near Eighth; regular office hours from 1 to 4 P. M.

GRAY SMITH, M. D. (LATE OF Baltimore), 1112 Alice st., above 12th; hours 9-10 A. M., 7-8 P. M; telephone 207.

Physicians' Directory.

MEMBERS ALAMEDA CO MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

A. M. TAYLOR, M. D.; RESIdence, 557 Albion street; residence telephone 276. Office 1115 Broadway; office hours 11 A. M. to 12 M., to 4 and 7 to 8 P. M.; office telephone 272.

ADAMS, C. B.—OFFICE AND RESIdence 1014 Broadway; hours, 10 A. M. to 12 M., to 4 and 6 to 7:30 P. M. Telephone 229.

ADAMS, F. L.—OFFICE, TWELFTH and Broadway; hours, 10 to 11 A. M., and 4 to 5 P. M. Residence, S.W. corner Clay and Seventeenth streets.

BRADWAY, J. R.—OFFICE 1008½ Broadway; hours 9 to 10 A. M. 1 to 3 and 7:30 to 9 P. M. Residence 760 Tenth street.

MULLER, H. E. — OFFICE AND residence 1160 Broadway, rooms 20 and 21, hours 2 to 4, and 7 and 8 P. M. Telephone 31.

SOUTHARD, W. F.—OFFICE, 1155 Broadway; residence, 1202 Castro street, Hours, 10 to 12 A. M., 1 to 3 P. M Sunday, 1 to 3 P. M. Eye, Ear, and Throat.

Eclectic Physicians.

MRS. DR. JENNIE P. WEBB HAS moved her office from the Davis building to 1270 San Pablo avenue, rooms 3 and 4; office hours, 8 to 9 A. M. and 1 to 4 P. M.

MRS. DR. M. D. WILSON, OFFICE and residence, 765 Thirteenth street; hours, 8 to 8:30 A. M.; 2 to 4 P. M.; hospital for special treatment of cancers, 769 Twelfth street. Telephone 483.

Homoeopathic Physicians.

J. M. YOUNG, M. D., HOMEOpathist, surgeon; office and residence 1115 Broadway. Office hours, 9:30 to 10:30 A. M., 1 to 3 and 7 to 8 P. M. Sundays 12:30 to 1:30 and 7 to 8 P. M. Telephone No. 180.

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AT DR. HALL'S, 426 KEARNY ST. San Francisco. diseases incident to females treated successfully.

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Professional Cards.

MRS. FRANK CAMBLOS, JR. GERman midwife; 18 years' experience; 376 East Eleventh st., near Eighth ave. no29-o

MRS. J. H. CUSHING, C. S., CHRIStian Scientist; consultation free; office 1273 San Pablo ave., Oakland, Cal.

MRS. N. MOONEY, PROFESSIONal nurse; can furnish best of references; 15 years' experience; was midwife 12 years. Call at or address Room 43, Playter Block.

Oakland Dentists.

H. J. PLOMTEAUX, D. D. S., 1115 Broadway, between Twelfth and Thirteenth, Oakland, has adopted a method of filling teeth with less pain, at one-third the expense and in one-third the time required by any other first-class method. Examination and advice gratis.

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G. H. KRIECHBAUM, OFFICE 854½ Broadway, corner of Seventh, Oakland. Office hours, 9 to 12 A. M.; 1 to 5 P. M.

J. M. DUNN, D. D. S.; OFFICE 1155 Broadway, rooms 28 and 29.

San Francisco Dentists.

DR. SIMMS, DENTIST, FORMERLY of 825 Market street, has removed to the Arcade building, 930 Market street, San Francisco; near Baldwin Hotel.

Veterinary Surgeons.

DR. T. CARPENTER, VETERINary Surgeon, Honorary Graduate of Ontario Veterinary College, Graduate of McMahon's School of Veterinary Dentists, Honorary Fellow of Ontario Veterinary Medical Society. Office at Brown's Stables, 13th and Washington sts.; residence 76 E. 12th st. Telephone 427

DR. A. DE LAROUSSE, VETERInary surgeon, graduate of Alfort College, Paris; residence, 755 Jackson street, Oakland; reference: McCleverty & Noble & Fash on Stables, Broadway; leave orders at the Fashion Stables; free consultations every day at residence from 1 to 3 P. M. de7-1a

CHAS. H. HOMAN, VETERINARY Surgeon, office and hospital, S. W. Cor. 10th and Market st. Accommodations for sick horses; consultation free. Leave orders at the PEOPLE'S EXPRESS COMPANY, 423 Tenth street.

Business Notices.

FRED SOWERS, FAVORABLY known as the best pantaloon cutter of Oakland, has associated himself as partner with a well-known Chicago merchant tailor, George H. Locke, an able and thoroughly practical coat cutter; they will carry in stock the finest imported goods in the market, and assure their friends and the public in general to furnish the best fitting garments on the coast.

$50,000.00 IN THE RESERVE FUND, INVESTED; AND $65,000.00 ASSETS; MUTUAL ENDOWMENT ASSOCIATION, OAKLAND which furnishes plain life and endowment insurance, and disability benefits of $5 to $20 per week. Coupons amounting to $24,000.00 paid since January 1st, 1889. F. K. SHATTUCK, President; A. W. BISHOP, Secretary, First National Bank, Treasurer. Office, 906 Broadway.

A. BORONIE & CO., 925 THIRD street, corner Myrtle; ashes and rubbish removed; manure hauled for lawns and gardens; prompt attention to orders.

MRS. MOWRY HAS OPENED A New Dry and Fancy Goods Store at 1137 East 14th st., nr 23d ave., East Oakland.

OUR HOBBY--WE ARE NOT RUNning our store for glory, but, like all honest men, want a living profit. Now is the time if you want an odd bed or mattress, or a fine comforter, pillows or hair mattress; in business 17 years in the same block, our guaranty, H. SCHELLHAAS, the "Old Reliable," 408 Eleventh street.

OAKLAND BONE YARD—DEAD animals removed from Oakland, Alameda, Berkeley, and vicinity free of charge. Telephone 65

WHITE'S SPECIAL PIANO EXpress; office 1159 Broadway, at Girard's music store. Pianos and furniture handled with the greatest of care; all kinds of express ng promptly attended to. Telephone 494

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GUSTAVE L. MIX, SEARCHER OF records and conveyancer, titles examined and abstracts furnished to land in any county in the State; Alameda county a specialty. Office Southeast corner Broadway and Ninth street, Union Bank building, telephone 148, Oakland Cal.

G. W. M'KEAND, SEARCHER OF Records for Alameda county. Residence, 810 Thirteenth street, near Market street, offices, southeast corner Fourth and Broadway, Oakland.

STOCKER & HOLLAND, SUCCESsors to Stocker & Schramm, Searchers of Records for Alameda county; 304 Broadway, Oakland, Cal. Established 1865. Telephone 315. Postoffice box 315. ja10-o

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MRS. A MURPHY, PROFESSIONAL Teacher of vocal, instrumental music; will also play at dancing schools or parties. Call at 707 Fifth street, Oakland.

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MME. CHAPALAIN'S LACE LAUNdry and cleaning works, 230 12th street corner of Alice. Lace curtains done up like new; gloves and feathers cleaned children's caps and clothing a specialty ja11-xc

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A COMPETENT FRENCH GIRL wishes a situation as general houseworker is a good cook; wages $20 to $25. Apply at 506 Ninth street. de10-o

A COMPETENT FRENCH GIRL wishes a situation as general houseworker is a good cook; wages $20 to $25; also a Swedish girl for second work $20. Call at OAKLAND EMPLOYMENT BUREAU. de10-o

A GERMAN LADY WANTS TO GO out washing and housecleaning by the day; experienced woman. Call at 1416 Eighteenth street, near Peralta. de3-o

SITUATION WANTED BY A COMpetent girl to do general housework; please call at 462 Twelfth st., room 3. de21-wx

SITUATION WANTED BY A SWEDish girl as cook in private family. Call or address 1318 Twelfth st., downstairs. de26-1wx

WANTED — A SITUATION BY A young Swedish girl, a first class cook; wages $25 a month. Apply at 506 Ninth street. de14-o

Female Help Wanted.

WANTED—A GIRL FROM 12 TO 15 years of age in a family of three; a good home. Apply at 651 Jefferson st de24 3tx

WANTED—A YOUNG WOMAN OF some education; one who has taught physiology preferred. Address G, D. B. this office. de26-21x

WANTED--LADIES AND GENTLEmen who are in search of presents for the holidays, and china to be close buyers, are invited to examine our stock to trade; open evenings up to 8 o'clock. H. SCHELLHAAS, 408 Eleventh street.

Situations—Male.

POSITION WANTED BY A THORoughly reliable and steady young man in a grocery or provision house as salesman and to deliver goods; can come well recommended. Would loan $1000 on good security. Apply or address L. P., 1721 William street. de24-1wx

Male Help Wanted.

$60 SALARY; $40 EXPENSES IN advance, allowed each month; steady employment at home or traveling; no soliciting; duties, delivering and making collections no postal cards. Address, with stamp HAFER & CO., Piqua, Ohio. de9-2aeod

Employment Offices.

GERMAN, SCANDINAVIAN AND all of male and female help can be found at MRS. TIETJEN'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 708 Seventh street. We have a good cook, also girls for general housework. se14

LADIES DESIRING FIRST CLASS cooks, chambermaids, waitresses, nurse girls and girls for general housework at SCANDINAVIAN EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 424 10th st: also first class coachmen and gardeners.

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Personal.

A NO. 1 HAIR STORE, "THE LA Tosca," (successor to Abbott Hair store), 1062 Bd'y, (Domestic Machine Office.) Hair work made to order; hair pressed; wigs to rent; shampooing. Agency for Mrs. Gervaise Graham's cosmetics. MRS. J. E. BACKLIFFE.

A NEW CIGAR STORE—I WISH to call the public's attention to the fact that I have fitted up a first class cigar store at 628 East Twelfth street, with the best brands of cigars and tobaccos. F. E. BRUNKER, proprietor, SAM RADCLIFF, manager. fe2

ANDY MOORE, THE POPULAR Berkeley saloon keeper, is always glad to see his friends and the public in general; he carries the best stock of wines, liquors and cigars in Berkeley.

ATTENTION—CHAPEL'S FRENCH female pills for irregularities of monthly periods from colds, etc.; splendid for ladies in delicate health and other conditions; cure for all guaranteed—$5. MRS. DAVIES, 426 Kearny street.

CAKE MAKING -- MRS. A. E. Allen, having made cake for weddings and parties for 20 years in Boston, is now located at 619 Sixteenth street, between San Pablo avenue, and Grove, Oakland; also will bake or teach at home if desired. de18-1ax

COLLINS'S ELECTRIC BELTS will cure all diseases that flesh is heir to; my belts run one year without refilling, which can be done by anybody, or I will make them as good as new for $1. 715 Fourth street. Send for pamphlet. au15-o

CHAMBER SUITS AND MATTRESS, $8 and up. 1158 Broadway: RYAN & MELLOR. au28-o

CUTFLOWERS, ROSES, BOUQUETS seeds, bulbs, orchids, and shrubbery gardens laid out tastefully; floral supplies for parties, etc., a specialty. FLOSSMANN & RICE, corner Twelfth and Alice streets.

DAVY CROCKETT IS ON THE WINdow, but it's Howard Shaw's saloon at the corner of 25th st. and San Pablo ave. Everybody knows that Howard carries the best wines, liquors and cigars in Oakland.

DOLLIE, MEET ME AT THE CALIFORNIA RESTAURANT, 854 Broadway, tomorrow, and we will get one of those nice lunches. They have everything the best in the market.

FRESH BREAD, PIES AND CAKES delivered to any part of East Oakland or Fruit Vale; home baking a specialty. SUPERIOR BAKERY, 770 12th st., bet. 14th & 15th aves. W. A. McElhatton, proprietor. je7-o

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PACIFIC DYEING AND CLEANING Works have removed their office to 460 Tenth st. near Broadway. Ladies' and Gent's clothing cleaned or dyed in a superior manner at reasonable prices. J. SPAULDING & CO. 1o4-2a

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SANTA CLARA CREAMERY, 1403 San Pablo avenue. Fresh cream, pure country milk; butter and buttermilk churned daily; all kinds of cheese; choice eggs from our ranch. J. H. MAURER & CO., props. au23-xc

TO HOUSEKEEPERS-THIS IS THE time for housecleaning; ladies can do the best work in the easiest manner by using Aitken's Furniture Paste, best material known for cleaning furniture; try it. Call for it at Woman's Exchange, Franklin st., near 14th, Oakland. Also try her corn salve, harmless and effective. de5-1a

TO BUY OR SELL FURNITURE call at 1158 Broadway RYAN & MELLOR au28-o

WILL THE PARTY WHO SElected a parlor suit and paid a deposit, please call at once, there is no such number on Twenty-third avenue, as directed, if not heard from will sell the same over again. Yours, H. SCHELLHAAS, 408 Eleventh street.

WE DYE TO LIVE AND LIVE TO dye." The Philadelphia Dye Works always was and will be the first in California. A trial of my work will give satisfaction. WM. REUTER, Propr., 833 Washington st. oe1

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A GOOD MEAL CAN ALWAYS BE obtained at the New York Restaurant, 428½ Broadway, night or day, consisting of the best meats, game, oysters, and everything good to eat that the market affords; N. C. MILLOGLAV & CO., proprietors. fe5

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THE SECRET TIE.

Mystic Work of Lodge and Chapter and Parlor.

THE FRATERNAL ORGANIZATIONS.

Benevolent and Beneficiary Orders—Insurance Leagues, and Charitable Associations.

Masonic.

The plans for the new temple to be erected on the corner of Park street and Alameda avenue, Alameda, have been accepted by the Masonic Building Association of that city.

Eucalyptus Lodge, No. 127, of Haywards, has elected the following officers: C. S. Long, worshipful master; T. B. Russell, junior warden; C. Hermann, treasurer; H. Brunner, secretary.

Oakland Commandery, No. 11, Knights Templar, installed officers on Tuesday evening last, the ceremony being followed by a banquet. The officers are: Sir Charles F. Burnham, eminent commander; Sir Charles W. Howes, generalissimo; Sir W. Frank Pierce, captain general; Sir H. B. Sears, prelate; Sir George Patterson, senior warden; A. W. Burrell, junior warden; Sir Z. P. Gilpin, treasurer; Sir J. F. Chandler, recorder.

Odd Fellows.

Sycamore Lodge, No. 129, of Haywards has elected the following officers: N. G., John Harr; V. G., H. N. Bothsow; recording secretary, Joseph Pimentel; treasurer, Charles Prowse; trustees, A. C. Bloomer, D. Luce, H. Meininger.

Ancient Order United Workmen.

From present indications the Workmen Guarantee Fund Association will commence the New Year with every claim paid to date and a $1 assessment only.

Pacific Lodge, No. 7, of Oakland will hold a public reception on the evening of January 9th.

Young Ladies' Institute.

Death benefit assessment 3 has been levied.

No. 22 of Haywards held its second meeting last Thursday evening.

The per capita tax for the third quarter is now due and payable within thirty days.

The members of No. 15, Oakland, are making extensive preparations for its anniversary ball, which will take place January 16th.

United Endowment Associates.

A ball in honor of the grand lodge representatives and officers will be given when in session next February in San Francisco.

Silver State Lodge, No. 71, was instituted on Monday last at Virginia, Nevada, by D. G. C. Mrs. M. A. Sheridan with fourteen charter members.

Mizpah lodge, No. 45, will have a Christmas tree on Thursday evening, January 2d, and grand officers and other associates are invited.

Legion of the West.

The anniversary celebration of Enterprise Lodge, No. 27, will be held on Friday evening next at Hamilton Hall, Oakland. Elaborate preparations have been made, and indications are that it will be a great success.

Another lodge will be organized in Oakland during the first week in January.

Official Assessment Table.

NAME.	No. of assessment.	Date of Call.	Delinquent by Members.
A. L. of H.	167-168	Dec. 2	Jan 1-15
A. O. U. W.	21-22	Dec 1-8	Dec. 28
Workmen's Guar. F. A'n	19-20	Dec. 1	Dec. 28
Knights of Hon'r	267-268	Dec. 7	Dec. 31
K. and L. of H.	259-260	Dec. 2	Dec. 31
I. O. O. F.	23-24	Dec. 1	Dec. 31
OrderCh'S'n Fr'ds	165	Dec. 1	Dec. 31
OrderCh'S'n Fr'ds	166	Dec. 15	Jan. 15
Royal Arcanum	129	Nov. 30	Dec. 30
United End. Associates	34	Dec. 1	Dec. 31
Safety End Union	11	Dec. 1	Dec. 31
Order Beacon L't	2	Dec. 1	Dec. 31
End. Ben. Fund, A. O. F. A.	160	Dec. 15	Jan. 15
Young Ladies In	3	Dec. 1	Dec. 31
Royal Arcony, R. D., Class C	9	Dec 20	Jan. 10

No Assessments.

There will be no assessments for December in the Champions of the Red Cross, Legion of the West and Order of the Golden Shore. To the present writing none will be levied in the Young Men's Institute.

THE NEW FIRE ENGINES.

The Official Report of the Best Work They Have Done.

James Kennedy, Chief of the Fire Department, presented the following report of the work of the new engines to the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners on Tuesday afternoon:

The engine "James Moffitt," No. 6, was tried at the cistern at Thirteenth and Broadway with the following result: The engine was started in six minutes and forty-five seconds from the lighting of the fire, the water in the boiler being cold at the time the fire was started. In about ten minutes after the fire was started a fair stream, 197 feet, was thrown through 250 feet of hose, 1¼ inch nozzle being used. Through 200 feet of hose a 1⅛ inch stream was thrown a distance of 194 feet. Through a line of hose 1000 feet in length a stream was thrown a distance of 151 feet through a 1⅛ inch nozzle. The same engine was tried at the hydrant in front of the city hall, and through 200 feet of hose an inch stream was thrown a distance of 187 feet. At the same trial a 1¼ inch stream was thrown over the tower of the City Hall, 100 feet of hose being used at the time. The time of steaming at the hydrant with 40 pounds of steam was five minutes from the time the fire started. The engines began to work with 50 pounds of steam in six minutes and twenty-five seconds. The engine was also at the city hall at the time the fire was lighted. There was 1½ gauges of water in the boiler. In nine minutes the engine was started with 45 pounds of steam, and in forty-five seconds after was throwing a good fire stream through 100 feet of hose. Two lines of fifty feet of hose were united in a siamese, and a 1¼ inch stream was thrown a distance of 214 feet and 9 inches.

The Phœnix Engine, No. 1, was tried at the cistern on Thirteenth and Broadway. The engine was started in eight minutes and twenty-five seconds after the fire was lighted; two lines of hose, each 100 feet in length, were united in a siamese, and a single lead of hose, fifty feet in length, was laid. A 1¼ inch stream was then thrown a distance of 233 feet. A 1¾ inch stream was thrown through the same hose a distance of 185 feet, and a 1¼ inch stream was thrown 216 feet. A single line of hose was then run out from the engine, and a 1¼ inch stream was thrown a distance of 229 feet; through a line of hose 750 feet in length a stream was thrown 182 feet. In the last two trials the nozzles and pipe used belonged to the old Phœnix engine.

At the trial of the Phœnix at the hydrant in front of the City Hall she started in five minutes and twenty-five seconds after the fire was started. A very good stream wes thrown through an 1½ nozzle, 100 feet being used. No distance was taken, as the wind was blowing hard and cut the stream badly. From the foregoing details of the work done at the trials it will be seen that the engines have done fair work for their class.

ON RECORD.

MECHANICS' LIENS.

December 17th—C. Clausen et al. vs. C. J. Dwyer, release of seven liens.

December 23d—Puget Sound Lumber Company vs. J. Macdonough et al., northeast corner Fifteenth and Broadway, east 97x112, Oakland; $2737.

December 23d—M. Marks vs. Same, same; $208.

SUPERIOR COURT ACTION.

June 1st—Thomas A. Rice vs. William I. Rice et al., interlocutory decree in partition—16.75 acres, part Yoakum tract, Brooklyn township, and property elsewhere.

PROBATE PROCEEDING.

December 23d—Estate of Margaret Hayes, deceased, confirming sale to J. K. Stewart, southwest corner Grant street and Berkeley way, west 100x45, Berkeley; $750.

ASSIGNMENT OF MORTGAGE.

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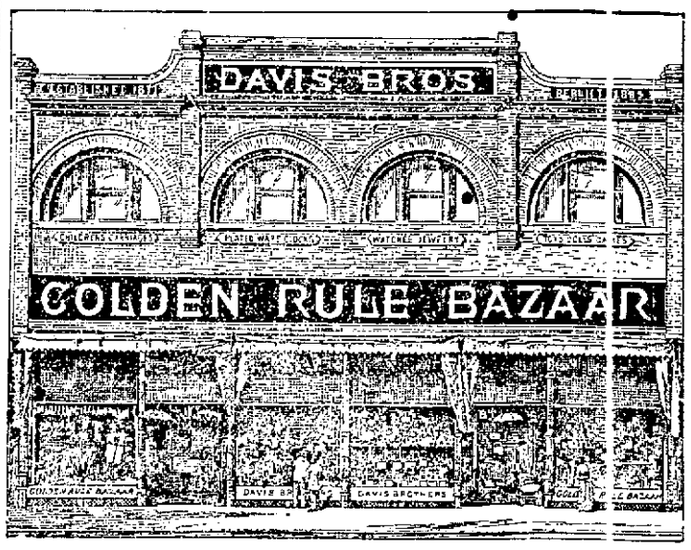

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CALIFORNIA—Specialties.
GRAND OPERA HOUSE—Great Metropolis.
ALCAZAR—Mankind.
TIVOLI—Aida.
PANORAMA—Gettysburg.
PLATT'S HALL—Placer Co's Citrus Exhibit.

Shall the Government Undertake the Work?

An interesting paper by Walter Gillette Bates in the January *Scribner* on "Water Storage in the West" contains this passage:

The laws of the Western States and Territories everywhere recognize and protect the rights of the first or "prior appropriator" of water. If the first settler on the banks of a stream draws off, in his ditch, one-half of the whole of the customary flow to irrigate his farm, he has the right to take this one-half or the whole flow forever, to the entire exclusion of any subsequent settler. But the same rule applies to rivers of large size.

That is not the law of California, the most important of the States in which irrigation is practiced. The decision of the Supreme Court in the case of Lux & Miller against Haggin & Carr established the old English common law doctrine of riparian rights as the law of the State. Under that law the "appropriator" has no rights which the riparian owner below him is bound to respect. We believe that the law should be changed, as the conditions here are wholly different from those out of which the riparian doctrine grew.

The most interesting part of the article from which we quote is the conclusion that the ultimate undertaking by the National Government of the work of creating a complete irrigation system for the whole region known as the "arid lands" is inevitable. This region may be said, roughly speaking, to include all of the United States west of the 100th meridian, with the exception of the Pacific coast north of San Francisco, and comprises about two fifths of the whole territory of the country. In the view of Mr. Bates the Government will find the pressure for new available lands impossible to withstand, and as the territory in which the rainfall is sufficient to assure crops is now almost fully occupied, and the arid lands can only be made available by irrigation, it will be necessary to create that system, either by private enterprise or Government undertaking. Private enterprise is likely to be spotty and incomplete in a matter of this sort, Mr. Bates thinks, and hence the necessity for Government intervention. Just the same thing might have been said thirty years ago about railroads in the West, but today there are more railroads than they need or can pay for in many parts of the country.

ONE of the most extraordinary trials on record is now in progress in Austria, where sixty-seven professional immigration agents are being tried for robbery and obtaining money under false pretenses from the ignorant peasants, their dupes. Certain steamship lines had dozens of agents, who induced the peasants by threats and lies to sell their property and start for this country. They were herded at railway stations by bribed policemen, and every means used to squeeze the last cent out of them. As an instance, it is related that just before the peasants were to be sent to the coast an alarm clock would be made to strike in the emigrants' waiting room. "That was a telephone message from the Emperor of America," the agents would say, "and he cannot make room for any more peasants." After working the emigrants up to a high pitch of excitement the agents would strike the clock again and explain that another message to the effect that the Emperor of America would make an exception and receive this particular batch of emigrants if each of them would pay the agents twenty-five guilden.

THE weather editor is having a very damp, uncomfortable time drawing his customary comparisons between the glorious climate of California and the blizzards of the frozen East. He is not discouraged, however, and comes up moist and smiling, as for instance, the Pasadena editor of the Los Angeles *Times*:

Let the dissatisfied tourist, disgusted and disconsolate, as he perhaps has a right to be, watch the death rate in Los Angeles county, following this storm, as it is one of the worst that Southern California has had for years; then let him compare this death rate, the cases of pneumonia, diphtheria, malignant and otherwise, that follow a blizzard in the East in any city of 10,000 population, or any storm which is considered unusually severe.

It is an interesting fact that the temperature at 5 o'clock last Tuesday morning was 60 in Des Moines and several other places in Iowa, while it was 48 in many of the cities of California.

War Among the Homeopaths.

An interesting discussion has arisen among homeopaths over the assertion of Dr. Egbert Guernsey, one of their most eminent physicians, that there are no longer any "exclusively homeopathic physicians in New York, that the name is a misnomer and that in modern practice all physicians should and do make use of all that is good in the methods and *materia medica* of any school."

Dr. Guernsey is the president of the medical board of the homeopathic hospital on Ward's Island, N. Y., and the editor of the *Medical Times*. There is nothing very new in his statement, but it always raises a row when it is made among those who regard the doctrine of *similia* as a sort of fetich to be held sacred from violation. The *odium medicum* is an even more violent affection of the brain than its theological brother, and, as might have been expected, Dr. Guernsey brought a storm about his ears. In the columns of his paper he maintains further that the position of the eclectics, so to speak, is impregnable, because the doctrine of *similia*, while an important and perhaps the most important principle in medicine, is not a universal principle. The attack was led by a certain Dr. Schiley, and on his motion the annual meeting of the Homeopathic Society of New York unanimously passed a resolution calling for Dr. Guernsey's removal from the Medical Board of the Ward's Island Hospital. No such heresy could be tolerated for an instant. Dr. Guernsey's position is stated in an interview in the *Sun*:

"There is no homoeopathic physician, so called, in New York who uses allopathic remedies and methods more freely in his practice than Dr. Schley," said Dr. Guernsey to a *Sun* reporter last evening. "I know for instance, of his administering antipyrin in fifteen-grains doses and salicate of soda in twenty grain doses. These attacks grow out of the position taken by the *Medical Times*, which maintains that the principle of *similia* is not the only dogma utilized in practice, and notwithstanding the so-called homoeopathic school recognizes its great importance in scientific therapeutics they use freely every principle which has been shown to be of avail in the relief of suffering humanity. The editors of the *Times* maintain that, inasmuch as this is the practice of almost the entire school, the designation of the school as homoeopathic is unwise and prejudicial to the progress of medical science, and not in accordance with the principle of truth. The term "new school," which we advocate, sufficiently designates the school and gives the members perfect liberty to practice as they see fit."

Of course it is nonsense to attempt to read a man out of a profession, to excommunicate him for doctrine like this. Dr. Guernsey occupies an impregnable position, which is just as true of allopathy as it is of homeopathy. The doctrine is commended by common sense and has the adherence of all the intelligent practitioners of both schools who are not too hidebound to accept what is best, although it may not wear the special label which they have been taught is the only one worthy of respect.

IT is the fashion to blame the newspapers for everything, and now the doctors are preparing to lay the onus of the coming epidemic of the sneezes on them on the ground that the publicity given the European epidemic will so act on the American nervous system as to produce the disease by sympathy if not by infection. In fact, the disease will assume the dignity of a new fad, which will push Bellamy very hard.

BEGGING on the streets appears to be recognized as a legitimate business in Los Angeles, for the authorities of that city have refused a legless woman a permit to beg on the ground that she is worth $100,000 in San Francisco real estate. The question arises, What are the qualifications of authorized begging in Los Angeles?

WE suppose Joaquin Miller has no control over the wording of the advertisements of his publishers, but it strikes a jarring note when we find the work of a poet, "The Danites," heralded in mixed metaphor as "the book that gave birth to the glorious climate of California and gave Mormonism its fatal stab."

THE Gilroy Debating Society has acquitted Lady Macbeth of all complicity in the murder of the gentle Duncan, doubtless on the ground of insanity. At last that damned spot is out.

He Was at the University One Year.

Del Monte Wave.

Whatever is good in the profession the *Examiner* gets. I regard "Ed" Hamilton, the organizer of the Ancient, Honorable and Mystic Order of the Dark Red Taste in the Mouth, Bohemian Club, as one of the most pleasing and expert jugglers in the city. Mr. Hamilton is a clever writer on all subjects; a man so versatile that he will write you up a murder like a marriage, a hanging like a game of baseball, and a session of the Legislature like a circus. He is an extensive reader, with a remarkable memory, and loses no opportunity to prove that a university education to the right kind of man has its advantages. Mr. Hamilton has held a responsible position on the *Examiner*, but shines brightest in the local columns.

The Deus Ex Machina.

Buffalo Express.

It was the Presbyterian pastor's little daughter (in these creed revising times) who asked: "Papa, do you believe in a personal Santa Claus?"

Christmas Cheer in the Quaker City.

Philadelphia Record.

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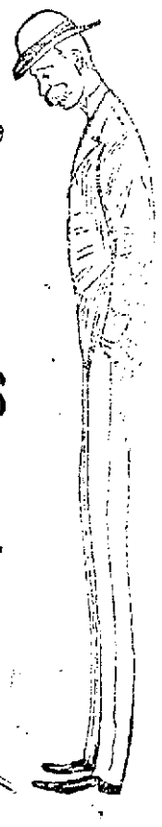

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AMONG THE POOR.

Christmas With Those Who Need Help.

GIFTS OF A WEST BERKELEY SCHOOL.

Never Any Time at Which So Many People are in Need of Clothing as the Present.

"I tell you, sir, my friend," said Secretary Sewell of the Associated Charities this morning, as he rubbed his hands gleefully and laughed at the merry scene he had just passed through, "it would have done your soul good if you could have been here and seen the fun.

"Do you see that box in there?" he added, and he led the way to the ante room, in the middle of which stood a large dry goods box about four feet square and two feet deep. "Well, that was donated by the West Berkeley school, and was packed as close as a big cheese, with everything a school full of children could think of as suitable for gifts, from a toy marble to a suit of clothes. It was one of the most pleasing and cheering sights I ever witnessed—the contents of that box all spread out and assorted ready for distribution. You couldn't name an article of clothing to save your life that wasn't in that box. Little bits of breeches not larger than any two hands, and the funniest little shirts and gowns and frocks you ever saw. Toys, too; my goodness, I couldn't begin to tell you what they were or how many. Why, this room would have made any Christmas tree or holiday bazar in Oakland sick with envy if they could have seen it.

"It was a beautiful thing to do, don't you think so?" added the secretary, enthusiastically; "and I think something very neat should be said about that school. The hundreds of hearts made glad by the contents of that box would make a stone post smile with joy and satisfaction.

"We had a tremendous task on our hands to distribute those articles, but we did it, and it has been completely successful from first to last. Of course, you understand that the Oakland Benevolent Society and the Associated Charities work in conjunction in matters of this kind, but it kept us all mighty busy."

Mr. Sewell stated that the general work of the society is progressing much as usual. Aside from the sensation occasioned by the advent of the West Berkeley school box nothing of importance had marked Christmas tide.

"I think," said he, "I have never known a time when the worthy poor were in such a needy condition as now. You see, we have had a month or more of continuous bad weather, and people, poor at best, have been unable to provide themselves with the necessary clothing to keep warm. We have had of late not less than 100 applications a week for garments of all kinds, and the demand is largely greater than the supply. Particularly is this so of under garments and foot wear. We ought have more, and would be glad if the well disposed of Oakland would stretch their generosity more. No one not constantly in the midst of the needy and worthy poor of this city can have any idea of its magnitude. But even as it is we have kept out a whole lot of cold and suffering this winter."

The secretary's words were fully verified during the few moments that the reporter stood chatting with him. Not less than six or eight persons came in within ten minutes. Some infirm and scantily clad, others apparently robust and healthy, but distressingly exposed to the weather.

"We have to hear all their pitiful stories," said the secretary, "and where we find them worthy give such aid as our supply will permit."

Many of the applicants look like able bodied men, and, indeed, such they are. Their tales of distress, however, were pretty much the same as in all such cases—bad weather, no work; not able to get work; hungry; nothing to eat for two days; cold and wet; haven't been warm or near a fire for days at a time.

NO PRAYING IN SALOONS.

The Hillsboro, Ohio, Crusade Not to be Repeated in Oakland.

Mrs. R. R. Johnston's Opinions Upon the Anti Saloon Movement and Dr. Lathrop's Sermon.

Mrs. R. R. Johnston, State President of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, this morning gave her views in regard to the temperance crusade that has been talked of by the members of the union and others. She said: "I do not believe that any special effort will be made here, such as the crusaders made in Hillsboro, O., years ago, for such a movement is not what is needed here. Our work in the future as in the past, will be nothing more than a strong, determined fight against the saloon; but we do not intend to go on the street or to their places of business, and, kneeling at their feet, ask them to close their dramshops, as was done in Ohio. What we shall most likely do, at least what we want to do is to make our crusade at the ballot box."

When asked what she thought of Dr. Lathrop's sermon upon temperance, preached last Sunday morning and printed exclusively in THE TRIBUNE on Monday, she said that she thought Dr. Lathrop is as strongly opposed to the saloons as she is, and that although he is for high license and she for prohibition, she is glad to be associated with him in the temperance work. She believed him thoroughly in earnest, and they are both working for the same end, although in a different way.

Broadway Changes.

Several changes are being made among the business houses on Broadway, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets. The corset house of A. Coplin has been removed to 1157 Broadway, and Stevenson's crockery store is moving to the place recently vacated by Coplin, to give place to Taft & Pennoyer, who are about to enlarge their store by taking in the room formerly occupied by Stevenson.

Mr. Wendte on "Theater and Church."

A winter course of Sunday evening lectures will be given at the Synagogue, corner of Thirteenth and Clay streets, commencing on Sunday evening next, when Rev. Dr. Wendte will lecture on "Theater and Church." Other well known speakers will follow.

The Peralta Estate.

W. D. Smith has applied for letters of administration on the estate of Elizabeth C. Peralta, deceased, valued at $1600. The heirs of the deceased claim an interest in the Estudillo Square at San Leandro.

The Jessup Decision.

W. H. L. Barnes, counsel for Richard Jessup, has asked the Supreme Court for a rehearing of the celebrated Jessup case, in which the Supreme Court reversed its own decision, by the change in the opinion of Justice Sharpstein.

ALAMEDA.

The Contract to Improve Pacific Avenue.

A Christmas entertainment will be given this evening in the parlors of the First Methodist Episcopal Church by the Sunday school.

Justice Byler has granted a new trial to John Astor, the young plasterer convicted of stealing three loaves of bread. He will be tried by a jury this time.

Mr. Smith, who conducts the restaurant in the Park Hotel, denies the truth of the statement published in a San Francisco paper, that he is going out of business.

Christmas was duly observed in the churches of this city yesterday. At St. Joseph's a musical programme of unusual excellence was rendered. There were six masses, all largely attended.

A horse attached to F. Mandler's bakery wagon was run into by the narrow gauge local train yesterday and was shot to be relieved of its suffering. The driver was in a house delivering bread, when the horse wandered on to the track and met his death.

It will now be some weeks yet before work on the tidal canal excavation will be resumed. It was found necessary, owing to the prevalence of the high tides, to throw up an embankment at the head of the estuary to keep the water from flowing into the cut.

Work on the streets cannot be resumed for some weeks to come, owing to the muddy condition of the roads leading from the quarries to this city. An extension of ninety days has been granted on the King's avenue contract, and thirty days on the Benton and Willow streets contracts.

The contract to improve Pacific avenue was awarded to G. W. Smith last Tuesday night by the City Trustees. Smith, who represents H. Woodard, will not do the work, however, if the movement of the property owners to take the contract into their own hands succeed. They have ten days more in which to push their project.

Jackson Dever, a plasterer, who commenced to follow his occupation twenty-five years ago in this city, was stricken with apoplexy yesterday morning and died in the afternoon. He was 59 years of age, and a native of Ohio. From 1866 to 1876 he was a partner of James Cook, ex-City Marshal. He was a charter member of Oak Grove Lodge of Masons, but was not a Mason in good standing at the time of his death. He was unmarried.

Al Crosby, a young boiler maker employed on the new gas tank at the foot of Union street, was made hilarious yesterday by too much whisky, and struck an old man named McCoy without provocation. He was arrested for battery. A companion named Hart applied an offensive epithet to the arresting officer, and he was taken into custody for disturbing the peace. Crosby says that McCoy is an old friend of his, and that he was too drunk to distinguish an enemy from a friend when he hit the old man.

Berkeley.

Ed Stewart has returned from Stockton.

Several of the residents of this town are affected with the influenza.

Several streets are impassable on account of the extreme depth of the mud.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Johnson are both lying dangerously ill at the present time.

The section hands are kept busy continually repairing damages caused by the rains.

The case of the People against Julius Meyer will not be set until the defendant recovers from his illness.

Captain Seabury left town this morning. The steamship China, of which he is commander, sailed this afternoon.

Conductor Wallace has so far recovered from his late illness as to be able to resume his position on the Berkeley local.

James Woodall, formerly conductor on the Berkeley local, was in town yesterday to spend a few hours with his family.

Al Wood is spending the holidays in Berkeley. He is now in the employ of the railroad company in the northern part of the State.

George Schmidt has a fine specimen of an owl on exhibition at his office. The bird was mounted by Fred Rawson, taxidermist, of West Berkeley.

The case of the people versus Andy Moore was continued by Judge Little until this afternoon. Attorney Graber was unable to be present having been called to Martinez to try a case.

Superintendent Fleming of the Telephone Company was in town yesterday with a force of men to repair the damages done to the lines in Berkeley. He found a number of the wires crossed, and several broken.

Ned Gordon is about to start an omnibus line between East and West Berkeley. The travel between the two parts of town is growing rapidly every day since the Town Trustees closed up the saloons within one mile of the university.

The Sabbath school of the Congregational Church held Christmas festivities Monday evening in the church, notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather. A tree had been prepared, loaded with presents to delight the little ones.

C. R. Morris held a $15,000 coupon in the last drawing of the Louisiana lottery. The Little Louisiana Lottery Company cashed the ticket on Tuesday last, giving him a check for $14,700 on the Anglo-Nevada Bank. They retained $300 for the trouble and risk in cashing the ticket.

East Oakland.

Ed Lynch of Fresno is visiting friends in this section.

John Lamb has recovered from his recent illness.

J. A. Peters of Tubbs Hotel will go to Monterey shortly.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison and family and Miss McCarthy of Seventh avenue are spending the holidays at Santa Barbara.

The entire Clinton marsh, together with the levee which surrounds it, was completely submerged at the time of high tide yesterday.

The members of the Tenth Avenue Baptist Church will elect officers for the ensuing year at their meeting on New Year's evening.

A party will be given at Tubbs Hotel on Friday evening in honor of R. H. Davies, son of the proprietor of the hotel, who will leave in a few days for the East.

The household goods, live stock and general effects of Mitchell & Murphy of "The Resort" on the San Leandro road were disposed of at Constable's sale today.

Charles Herther, a young man residing on the San Leandro road, was examined by Justice Matthews on Tuesday and held to answer before the Superior Court on a charge of a crime against nature.

A horse on the Tubbs Hotel street car line, which had been turned loose to enter the stable last evening, ran into the door post and making a sudden lunge forward from fright, struck against the door and broke its neck.

Mrs. W. H. Coleman had a narrow escape from a very serious injury yesterday. She was driving accompanied by her husband and Mr. Powning, who were on horseback. The sudden appearance of the saddle horses coming up from behind startled the horse which Mrs. Coleman was driving and in another instant the horse had plunged away. Mrs. Coleman became so frightened that she dropped the reins and the phaeton was upset by running into one of the numerous chuck holes along the road. She was thrown heavily to the ground while the horses continued running to the stable. Mr. Coleman and Mr. Powning were soon at her side and she was removed to her apartments in Tubbs Hotel where her hurts were found to be but slight, consisting of a bruised shoulder and arm. The horses were not injured but the buggy was wrecked.

San Leandro.

Miss Lucy Sturtevant spent several days this week in Oakland.

Frank Cardoza of San Francisco spent Christmas with his parents.

Miss Joanna Goodman of the State Normal School is spending the holidays with her parents.

Miss Low Mette, who is residing with her sister, Mrs. W. Stienchamp, has gone to her home in Folsom to spend the holidays.

Notwithstanding the inclement weather the Christmas trees in both the Presbyterian and the Methodist churches were well attended on Christmas eve. The exercises at the Presbyterian Church were short but well rendered and exceedingly interesting. After the close of the programme the beautiful Christmas tree, which occupied the pulpit, was unburdened of its load of presents by "Santa Claus" and an able corps of assistants. After the distribution of the presents all merrily departed for their homes. The following was the programme: Anthem, choir; recitation, Winnie Eber; song, by the Sabbath school; recitation, "Piccola," Maud Woodworth; song, by Sabbath school; recitation, Lizzie Oliver; song, Sabbath school; remarks, Rev. W. F. B. Lynch. The tree at the Methodist Church was a large one, occupying an entire corner of the church, and it was filled with presents which, after the exercises, were distributed to the children, all present being remembered. The following programme was well carried out: Song, "When He Cometh," by Sabbath school; introductory remarks, Superintendent Grant; recitation, Alice Hofstead; song, by Sabbath school; responsive reading, "Night of Wonders"; recitation, Meta Nelson, Lillian Stahl, Roscoe Warren; song, "Gypsy Boy"; recitation, Bessie Roberts; song, Walter Fulton; recitation, Bertie Stahl; hymn, "How Happy Are We"; recitation, Eddie Anderson; hymn, "Gospel Bells"; recitation, Lillian Stahl, Bessie Roberts, Sarah Cummings; song, "I Am So Glad"; recitation, Anna Harding; recitation, Alice Hofstead; closing song, "God Be With You Until We Meet Again." Miss Harriet Halford played the organ, Mrs. Rideout leading the choir, assisted by Miss Bertie Stahl and Miss Alice Hofstead.

West Oakland.

The Atlas Athletic Club will soon move its quarters to the central part of the city.

Miss Carrie Lucier gave a Christmas tree party at her residence, 1776 William street, last evening.

The Sunday school of the Chase Street Congregational Church will give a Christmas tree festival at Hansen's Hall tomorrow night.

A large poplar tree at the corner of Ninth and Peralta streets was blown down by the storm on Monday night. A fence around the residence of N. B. Hoyt, a short distance away, was prostrated by the storm.

Golden Gate.

A. L. Lyons of Suisun is visiting with Louis Beaudry for a few days.

The section hands are hard at work on the local track. A large number of ties were washed loose lately.

The club of '88 intends to give a sheet and pillowcase ball on New Year's night. Great preparations are being made for the event.

West Berkeley.

Thomas Grady has returned from the southern part of the State.

The Methodist Sunday school celebrated Christmas last evening.

It is reported that two more applications will be made next Monday night to the trustees for licenses to conduct saloons in this end of town.

Emeryville.

The Michigan Furniture Company will not open again until next Monday morning.

The Judson Iron Works will probably be closed for about two weeks. The officials of the company are about to take stock, and therefore it will be impossible to run a full force of men.

President and Representative.

A telegram from Washington states that anxious about his many recommendations for office still pending in the departments General Vandever visited the President with a view of impressing upon Mr. Harrison the necessity of speedier action.

The President said that he had done a great deal for California already, and he failed to see any reason for hurrying or for complaint on the part of the delegation.

The member from the Sixth district begged leave to differ and bowed himself out.

It is evident that hold-overs in California are not in immediate danger of removal, much to the disgust of the Republican members of the delegation.

A Military Ball.

As has been customary for thirteen years, Company F, Fifth Infantry Regiment, N. G. C., will give an anniversary party on New Year's eve at Cavalry Hall, for which invitations are now out. Company F's parties have always been very pleasant affairs, and on this occasion the friends of the company will be given a chance to inspect the new quarters recently fitted up by the company in the rooms formerly occupied by the Occidental Club. A surprise is in store for the company's guests on the night of the party, but what it is will be kept a profound secret. Invitations are obtainable from the members of the company. Music will be by the Fifth Infantry Regiment Band.

Alameda is in the Second District.

According to a bulletin received from Robert P. Porter, superintendent of the eleventh census, California is divided into five districts. The second district includes Alameda, Alpine, Amador, Calaveras, Contra Costa, El Dorado, Nevada, Placer, Sacramento, San Joaquin, and Tuolumne counties. It is understood that Firm D. Hinds is a candidate for Supervisor of this district.

After the Sober Midnight Hour.

Albert Higgins is employed in Campbell's restaurant in the City Market. He sold liquor, contrary to the orders of his employer, after midnight last evening and was arrested therefor. C. T. Johns pleaded not guilty for him this morning.

Willed All to His Wife.

The will of August H. F. Reyer, deceased, has been presented for probate. He left an estate valued at $1180, which is willed to his wife.

They Found None.

Chief Tompkins is determined to stop turkey raffling, and on Christmas eve a posse of officers in citizen's attire made a tour of the city, looking for raffles.

Under the Mistletoe Bough.
New York Sun.

She (coyly)—Now, you must only take one, George.

He (gallantly)—But one from one leaves nothing, Mabel. Let's make it one each and tie.

She (blushing)—It's very sudden George, but you may ask papa.

POISONED BY CANDY.

Eddie Gallagher Partook Too Freely of Sweets.

Eddie Gallagher, a boy 13 years of age, met with an experience last night which he will long remember. During the day he ate a great deal of colored candy, and occasionally mixed in a few nuts. Last evening he attended the theater, and while the performance was in progress he fell to the floor unconscious and writhing in convulsions. The boy was taken to the receiving hospital and the stomach pump was applied by Dr. Taylor with good effect. After considerable work the youth was revived and was removed to his home on Third street. Dr. Taylor is of the opinion that the colored candy poisoned the lad.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Name.	Residence	Age.
John Francis Mullen,	San Francisco	34
Katie Sarah Mullen,	San Francisco	26
Theodore Le Clair,	Oakland	25
Mary Alice Andrews,	Oakland	24
Reldin Sylvester Robbins,	Berkeley	46
Jennie Caroline Hicks,	Berkeley	26
Antone V. Pruda,	Warm Spring	32
Rose D. Silva,	Warm Springs	33
John M. Santana,	San Leandro	24
Annie Luisa Joseph,	San Leandro	21
John James Applegate,	San Francisco	45
Ida Barnett,	San Francisco	30
James F. Wieland,	San Jose	23
Maud H. Cantin,	San Francisco	19
Cyrus E. Palmer,	Oakland	28
Eleanor Pullman,	Oakland	24
John Joseph Knight,	Alameda	26
Fannie Gertrude Porter,	Alameda	22
Nelson H. Chamberlain,	Oakland	21
Mabel Rahm,	Oakland	19
Fred Henry Hildebrand,	San Francisco	30
Caroline Richborn,	San Francisco	18
Joseph Silva,	Oakland	25
Mary Silva,	Oakland	15
Harry Small,	Oakland	37
Sabina Linnehan,	Oakland	24
Matthew T. Hudson,	San Francisco	33
Pora Tenney,	San Francisco	31
William A. Sampson,	Redwood City	67
Almira B. Huntington,	Oakland	70

THE DEATH RECORD.

December 18th—Anne Thomas, aged 59 years; a native of North Wales; residence, Beulah Park; cause of death, chronic hepatitis.

December 20th—Harvy C. Close, aged 12 days; a native of Oakland residence, 917 Union street; cause of death, spasms.

Peter Miller, aged 52 years, died December 23d at Moss avenue, near Broadway, from consumption, buried December 26th.

Margaret L. Duncan, aged 78 years and 3 months, died December 24th at Vallejo, from inflamation of the stomach, buried December 25th.

Matthew Quinn, aged 64 years, died December 23d at 250 Haven street, from fatty degeneration of the heart, buried December 25th.

THE BIRTH RECORD.

December 22d—To the wife of Amos D. Walton, at 1191 East Twenty-second street, a boy.

December 22d—To the wife of E. J. Thomas, at 1012 East Sixteenth street, a boy.

December 18th—To the wife of John G. Smith, at 1262 San Pablo avenue, a daughter.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES.

Remittent fever—1681 Lincoln street.
Diphtheria—1427 Myrtle street.
Diphtheria—519 Twentieth street.
Remittent fever—1723 Myrtle street.

DEEDS AND MORTGAGES.

Specially reported up to noon each day for The Tribune.

DEEDS.

THURSDAY, December 26th.

William Ingram Jr. to T. F. Chatfield—Undivided one-half interest southwest corner Jefferson and Sixteenth streets, S 75x80; also N Thirty-second, 255 W from West, SE 50, N 90.62 E to a point S 91.9 Oakland $10

J. C. Linderman to Maggie Neeb—N Central avenue, 675 E from High, E 136x125½, Alameda 10

W. E. Miller et al. to L. McPike—E Franklin, 606.6 N from Fourteenth, N 51x150, Oakland ..... Gift

D. G. de Atherton to George W. Gordon—5 acres on W Ashland avenue, Eden township 750

Ross and K. C. Duffy to E. E. Potter—40.43 acres on W San Pablo avenue, 125 N from Folger avenue, Oakland township 10

W. E. Barnard to J. L. Barnard—Lot 15, block 27, Smith subdivision Mathew tract, Oakland township 400

Thomas Loughran to E. Baumberger—Blocks 33, 34 and 35, San Leandro, quitclaim 10

George E. Plummer et al. to E. R. Carroll—Lot 40x135, portion lot S, block 2, Kearney tract, Berkeley 10

H. Butard to W. C. Jones—Lots 21 to 30, block 11, Central Park, Alcatraz and Newbury station, Oakland township 10

W. C. Jones to Margaret Channell—Same 10

William Schrock to J. C. Mui—Lot 111, block 7, Maxwell tract, Oakland 10

O. M. Osgood to R. A. Jackson—W Grove, 60.15 N from Thirty-fourth, N 60.1½x130, Oakland 10

M. K. Blake to Patrick Fee—Lots 20, 21, 22, block H, southern portion Blake estate, Oakland township 10

H. S. Templeton and wife to George Brown—NE corner San Jose avenue and Willow street, N 150x10, Alameda 10

A. B. McDonald to A. R. Low—E ½ lot 11, Ghirardelli tract, Brooklyn township 10

L. Markham to Cordelia C. Markham, his wife—Lots 14 and 15, block 7, Putnam tract, Brooklyn township ..... Gift

Albert Miller to A. de Leo de Laguna—S Twenty fourth, 115 W from Telegraph avenue, W 285, S 140, E 285, N 140, Oakland 10

MORTGAGES.

THURSDAY, December 26th.

Edward E. Potter to K. C. Duffy—26 acres at intersection N line plot 55 and E line Northern Railway right of way, Oakland township $12000

Same to Rose Duffy—20.03 acres on W San Pablo avenue, 125 N from Folger avenue, Oakland township 10925

W. A. More and wife to Union Savings Bank—49.57 acres, portion plot 87, lands ex-Mission San Jose, Washington township 7000

C. H. Parmenter and wife to Same—W Market, 111½ S from Eighteenth, S 37½x125, Oakland 1000

George Forbes to A. T. Robinson—Lot 30, block A, Sather & Robinson tract, Alameda 1000

M. Peter to Oakland Bank of Savings—W Adeline, 225 S from Thirty-fourth, S 25x123¼, Oakland 600

Maggie Neeb to Fidelity Building and Loan Association—As in deed 1000

L. Frauneder and wife to Charles Kramm—E Telegraph avenue 50 S from Deiger, S 21½x88, Oakland 500

Margaret Channell to Trustees San Francisco Savings Union—Deed of Trust, block 11, Central Park, Oakland township 6500

MINING STOCK REPORT.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 26.

260	Alph C 1 05@1 00	160	Hale & Nor ... 2 65
100	Alta ... 1 30	100	Mexican ... 2 50
150	Belcher 2 10@2 15	200	Overman ... 80@75
100	Best & Bel ... 2 55	200	Peerless ... 30
450	Chollar 2 40@2 40	605	Potosi ... 2 00
20	C. C. & Va ... 4 66	850	Savage 1 25@1 25
200	Confidence ... 4 00	700	Silver Hill 35@30
200	Con Imp ... 50	200	Utah ... 65
50	Gould & C'ry 1 60	200	W. Comstock .. 15

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STILL ALIVE.

In Spite of Rain Real Estate Activity Continues.

Forbidding as the elements are, real estate activity is not quite strangled, one of the most satisfactory transactions that has taken place this season has just been completed by Benham & Thomas. The fine piece of property on the northeast corner of Fifteenth and Brush streets, familiarly known as the Seth Pinkham place, but latterly owned by David Hughes of Paris, has been sold by this firm to Elisha Higgins for $15,000. The lot is 158x125 feet in size and contains a fine dwelling.

A transaction that smacks suspiciously of some important enterprise on foot was the bonding by Benham & Thomas today of a eleven acre tract of water front land near Golden Gate station. This tract has 1400 feet bordering on the bay, and is the only available water front property between Sixteenth street and Berkeley. The firm that has bonded this property acknowledge that it is for a large company and means business, but could not give particulars at the present time.

The real estate dealers, as a rule, feel gloomy because the rain keeps them indoors, but they all say that inquiry is as brisk as ever and if the weather clears sales will begin as briskly as ever.

O. I. Denison & Co. have just completed an important transaction in the sale of the Franklin Moss property, a tract of 110 acres on the San Leandro road, near Mills Seminary. The purchasers are recent arrivals in the county, and it is understood that they will subdivide it into villa tracts, and erect fine residences thereon. Rumor is authority for the statement that $50,000 was the price paid.

The same firm have also just sold four acres of the Levy tract, on the old county road, to A. A. Cohen Jr., at $2000 an acre, and two and a half acres for Reuben Rickard, near Piedmont, to C. W. Randall.

Dude Police Captains.

The new full dress uniforms for the two police captains arrived on Tuesday, and Captains Wilson and Fletcher donned them for the first time Tuesday afternoon. They are different from those of the other officers in that they have velvet collars and are double breasted, having two rows of buttons in front. A white belt completes the outfit. The uniforms will be worn only on special occasions, such as parades, etc. At all other times the captains will wear their sack coats.

Mike Kelly on the Climate.

Mike Kelly, the greatest of ball players, sat on the end of the long Oakland wharf and fished and fished and fished. Whenever he pulled up a scaly denizen of the vasty deep he promptly threw it back into the water.

"Why do you throw them back?" asked a workman of his majesty.

"Because I'm afraid they'd get wet if left out in this glorious climate."

Another Estate Incorporated.

The Dingley Trust Company has incorporated with a capital stock of $300,000, of which $2500 has been subscribed by the following directors: Hannah E. Dingley, Charles F. Dingley Jr., Herbert H. Dingley, Nathan W. Spaulding, and Edwin B. Mastick.

The Ladies Were Frightened.

The fiercely running tide swept the ferry steamer Tiburon broadside against the Piedmont near the Market street slip, San Francisco, on Tuesday afternoon, but no damage was caused by the collision.

A Trainer Thrown.

P. T. Mannion, the horse trainer, had his collar bone broken by being thrown from a colt of H. P. Livermore. Dr. Gray Smith reduced the fracture.

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A tooth is missing among the incisors, and you cannot help hissing. Go and get one put in, and then use SOZODONT to keep the others right. You should have done this years ago, but it is better now than ever.

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Public Administrator James Stanley has applied to administer upon the estate of Jackson Dever, deceased, who left property valued at $300 in Alameda. Dever dropped dead in Alameda a few days since. He has no relatives so far as is known.

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$10,000 worth of furniture wanted at West's Furniture House, 473, 475, and 477 Twelfth street.

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FIELD OF SPORT.

A Tournament by Alameda Tennis Players.

WARD SPEAKS OF LEAGUE MAGNATES.

Danny Long Presented With a Gold Watch and Chain—Boxing at the Reliance Atletic Club.

The Alameda Tennis Club announces a tournament on New Year's day, and has invited the players from Oakland to be present. The baseball men are still unhappy while rain continues to fall. Below will be found a resume of the sporting events of the week.

STRAY HITS.

Notes From the Field, and Flashes From the Diamond.

Patsy Cahill is a great favorite in Stockton, and will surely be in the local nine next season.

Jerry Hurley is said to have signed a brotherhood contract to catch for the Pittsburg nine. Jerry was reserved by Milwaukee for next season.

Manager Zeigler of the Sacramento team is advertising in Cincinnati for players for next season. Borchers and Roberts will be in the new nine.

The St. Louis Browns are at present managed just the same as if they were playing championship games. Recently Baldwin was fined $100 for missing trains.

The Bostons will leave for home about the 8th of January, when the team will disband. Ganzel and Brown will remain on the coast for a few months.

There will be two O'Neill's in the Oakland team next year. Charley O'Neill of the Texas League has been signed to play at short for the Colonels. —*Exchange.*

Since Jerry Denny signed a Brotherhood contract he is most cordially hated by his once friend, Mike Kelly. So bitter is the feeling between these two men that when they meet it is not unlikely that they may come to blows.

The question arises what clubs will the brotherhood clubs have to play with in the spring. They cannot play with any clubs that are under the national agreement, and it is not all probable that the college clubs will play with them, as they will thereby fail to arrange games with the league.—*Boston Herald.*

Roscoe Coughlan is authority for the statement that Lou Hardie has signed a contract to play with the Boston National League club next season. The signing of this document somewhat surprised Roscoe, as he and Hardie had an informal agreement that they would play as a battery next year. It would seem that Hardie got aboard the car, leaving Roscoe behind. But Coughlan says he is not kicking and still has his eye on Al Havens and Chicago. It will not be surprising to hear of Roscoe signing within a few days.

Coughlan was very anxious to be given an opportunity to pitch at least one game against Boston just to see how he would fair with the second team in the National League race. The ambitious twirler is still anxious to make the test and ere long may be accorded the opportunity. Roscoe avers that he does not believe it will injury his reputation in the event that he should be batted out of the box. He says, however, that if he should make a good showing against the bean-eaters it will be worth a great many dollars to him.

Colonel Robinson wants two twirlers for next season. They will probably both be imported from the East.

Captain Anson is said to be considerably aggrieved at Van Haltren's desertion of the Chicago team. Van has signed a Brotherhood contract. Anson asserts that he made George the player that he is; that he kept him in the nine when others wanted him released; that he gave him a good salary and all possible advantage to make for himself a record, and for all this George has deserted him. Van, however, feels different about the matter, and says that he earned every dollar that was paid him, and earned his record by hard and honest work. He has fulfilled his trust with Chicago and now claims to be at liberty to sign where he may please. George's friends think he did about right. It is simply a question of more salary.

Colonel Tom is not making a very great effort to sign any new players for the club next year. He has thus far signed O'Neill and Long, and contracts have been sent to Dooley and Stallings. It is stated that a little bluff was run in on Charles Dooley and he kicked. Matters have been straightened out, however, and it is said that he has agreed to sign to play next year without an increase of salary. It is a well known fact that the colonel wants Bill Shanley, but refuses to give him an increase of salary over last year. Farmer William wants more money, and hence he refuses to sign. It is quite probable that he will be found in the ranks of the 'Friscos next year. The young man can secure an engagement almost wherever he pleases provided that his figures are not too high. Altogether from the present outlook it does not appear that Oakland is going to have a pennant winning team next season.

John M. Ward, in a communication to the New York *World*, has this to say about the National League: "A monopolist who denies to others the right to engage in the same business as himself; a proprietor who fences in all available territory and proclaims every would be settler a trespasser and a thief; an arrogant capitalist who considers money the source of all power and the sole end of existence; an employer who stigmatizes his employes as 'no better than army mules,' and insults their manhood by the imposition of the most arbitrary rules—such is the National League of baseball clubs, and against this an organization of players became an absolute necessity. * * * The results of the present fight cannot but be beneficial. There is a clear distinction between the interests of the National League and those of the national game. The league may have to swallow a bitter pill; it may have to learn that in this country no body of men, however well paid, will long submit to be deprived of any part of their individual liberty. But if selfishness is driven out of the legislation of the game, if special and arbitrary rules are cut away, and if, through all, the integrity of the game itself is not impaired, the broad interests of baseball are bound to be enhanced."

HOW TO PLAY FOOTBALL.

A Few Points of Interest to the Local Players.

St. Nicholas for December.

"What makes a good football player?" is a question asked over and over again. Many are the answers given, but no answer is correct that does not contain the word "pluck." The same elements that go to make up excellence in any of the other field sports are requisite in football; but while in certain of the others that peculiar type of courage called pluck is only required in a moderate degree, in football it is absolutely indispensable. Many a man has said: "Oh, I am too small to play football; I couldn't get on the team." Such a man makes a mistake. Look at the records of our players and see how full they are of the names of small men. Withington, Cushing, Harding, Hodge, Beecher, and twenty others, have played, weighing under 140! Nor has it been that their deeds have been remembered because performed by such small men. These men made points as well as reputations. There is a place on the football field for a man, no matter what he weighs.

This brings us to another quality—the brains of a team. That team is the best which has the most brains. Football is even now an undeveloped sport. There is room for an almost infinite number of as yet unthought of plays. Every season brings forward new ones. If a player wishes to devote a little of his spare time to a fascinating amusement, let him take pencil and paper and plan out combinations in the evening and try them the next day. He will soon find that he is bringing out not only new but successful plays.

TENNIS TOPICS.

Opening Day of the Alameda Tennis Club.

Owing to the weather, there has been a quietus put upon tennis, no one having played since Thanksgiving Day.

The Alameda Club, however, are undaunted, and have announced their opening for New Year's Day, when the new bituminous courts will be christened with some exhibition games. There has been considerable speculation among the players of the older clubs as to who is to do the exhibiting, and no one seems to know, as the Alameda men have invited the different clubs to witness the exhibition without mentioning the names of the players. It is to be sincerely hoped that they have good weather and that the day be a great success.

Some time ago there was talk of a match between Will Taylor and Huntington of Yale College, but nothing seems to have come of it. Huntington is a smashing player, and would undoubtedly finish Taylor should they ever meet.

The Wetherbee tournament is still unfinished with three contestants, J. L. Haight, Hubbard and Gaddesden. They have had no opportunity of practicing and it is therefore hard to pick the winner, but, barring accidents, Hubbard should finish at the head. L. Haight's friends say that he can defeat Hubbard, but this seems hardly probable, as Hubbard always shows up in much better form upon the court and should easily win from Haight in a match.

Such an event would be exceedingly interesting, and as neither of the men has anything to interfere with practicing each should show up in his best form should the Lakeside arrange a match.

Comstock will soon resume practice and ought to make it warm for some of the Oaklanders. Business has taken most of his time lately, but he is now more at leisure than formerly. Goodall has joined the California Club and will soon be giving the Lakeside men specimens of the "Daley whip" and "Taylor drive," to say nothing of the "Joe Tobin smash," and this will make it necessary for the Lakeside to put up a high net on the northeast end of the court to avoid the loss of numerous balls, which in the event of no interference would find lodgment in the oaks of Adams point "when Arthur begins to play."

EARNED THE PRIZE.

Daniel Long Presented With a Gold Watch and Chain.

Tuesday evening Daniel W. Long was presented with a gold watch and chain, a gift from his baseball friends as a reward for his excellent work in center field during the past season. Long headed the list in the number of stolen bases and was seventh in the fielding average. Colonel William S. O'Brien made the presentation speech, and remarked that Long is the only Oakland boy left in the home nine.

Long thanked his friends for their kind remembrance of him and said that in the future he will endeavor to do as faithful work as in the past.

Among the baseball friends present were noted: W. S. O'Brien, Forrest Seabury, Robert Risdon, Fred Davis, William Buffington, Thomas Bonner, Howard Squires, Charles Wolfe, Roscoe Coughlan, E. F. Thayer, and R. E. Irvine.

ATHLETIC ARROWS.

An Instructor of Boxing Wanted at the Reliance Club.

Since Jim Corbett joined the ranks of professional pugilists the Reliance Athletic Club has been without a boxing instructor. A young man named Johns has been temporarily filling the position, and as he has given satisfaction he may be elected permanently to fill the position.

The Acme Athletic club expects to be out of debt by the first of the year. One of the officers of the club recently appropriated club money to his own use and has been compelled to make up the deficiency.

At a recent boxing exhibition Jack Kitchen of the Acme club sprained his hand and since that time he has been able to do very little boxing. He fears that his hand may always trouble him while boxing.

BOYS OF A PARISH SCHOOL.

A Complimentary Address to Rev. Father McSweeney.

At the parish school of St. Francis de Sales on Monday evening a pleasing entertainment was given, at which the following programme was observed: Violin solo, Professor J. Manning; chorus, "Work While It Is Day," school choir; recitation, "The Night Before Christmas," Charles F. Bours; vocal solo, "Take Me Back to Home and Mother," John H. Galvin; violin solo, Eddie Crowley; recitation, "The Razor," Charles L. Brockhage; song, "Hi, Ho, Vacation Days Are Here," school choir; recitation, "Who Stuffed That Owl?" Ed C. McManus; violin solo, Professor J. Manning; vocal solo, Frank N. Bourns; recitation, "Legend Beautiful," James L. Taylor; address to Rev. Thomas A. McSweeney, J. W. Brockhage; distribution of prizes, Master Burns officiating as Santa Claus.

The following address was presented to the pastor, Rev. Father McSweeney:

Rev. and Dear Father: It is always a pleasure for us to see in our midst one who has ever manifested toward us the kindest and most considerate attention. But we are doubly glad to see your Reverence here this evening presiding over the festivities which your own generosity has gotten up for our amusement. It would seem, dear Father, notwithstanding the many and more onerous duties you have to discharge, that your chief delight is to devote yourself to the spiritual and temporal welfare of the boys of your parish. Almost daily you bring the sunshine of your presence to our classrooms. Our recreations are cheered by your approving smile and even our games are honored by your participation. Indeed, never are our sports more animated, more keenly enjoyed by us, than when we know the loving eyes of our reverend pastor are gazing on us.

It is not usual that boys are anxious for the presence of superiors and elders at their amusements, because these sedate personages rarely enter into the spirit of the occasion, seeming to think that the fun and frolic of the youngsters are beneath their dignity—unworthy of their notice. But you, dear Father, like the great apostle, making yourself all to all, seem as much in place among the young ones of your flock engaged in their simple pastimes as when in the society of the aged, the learned, or the fastidious. It is, then, but natural, dear Father, that we should throng around you here tonight to tender you the homage of our grateful, happy hearts. To your reverence we owe a deep debt of gratitude, for to you, under God, are we indebted for the means at our disposal of acquiring a Christian training. True, we do not now realize the full importance of such an education, but the fact that you have done so much to provide us with it, that you take such interest in seeing us under its influence, convinces us that it must be of more than common worth, for we feel certain that before and above all you have our true interest at heart, that you wish us to know all that will fit us for time, all that will prepare us for eternity. Knowing these facts, dear Father, we cannot refrain from expressing the gratitude with which our hearts are filled. We take this occasion to do so, assuring you at the same time that our prayers shall be fervent and frequent that your life may be long and happy, and that a crown of unfading bliss may be yours when summoned from this earth.

And now, dear Father, we unite our voices with those of your countless friends in wishing you a Merry Christmas and many, very many, happy returns of this holy season.

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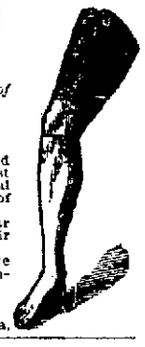

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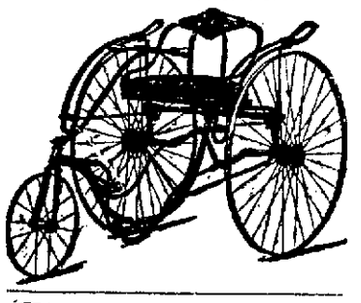

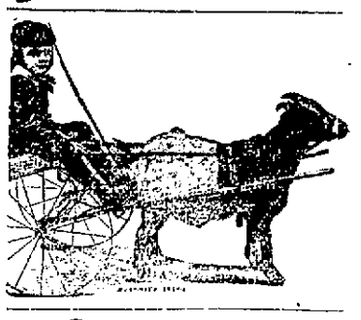

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THE TURN VEREIN.

Santa Claus Makes the Children Happy at Germania Hall.

There was a large gathering of the residents of German nativity at Germania Hall last night on the occasion of a Christmas tree festival given by the Oakland Turn Verein. At about 9 o'clock the hall was filled with a throng of little ones, accompanied by their parents, all eager to catch a glimpse of Santa Claus. There was a large Christmas tree in the center of the hall laden with gifts for the children. The girls formed on one side of the hall and the boys on the other, the orchestra played a grand march and all moved forward and formed a circle around the tree. Mr. Schmieder in the character of Santa Claus then made his appearance and distributed the gifts, and many little hearts were made happy by receiving a doll, or bat and ball, or skipping rope, or some other little toy. After distributing all his presents, Santa Claus disappeared.

The next on the programme was the luck wheel. Numbered tickets were distributed, and Max Lawrence in the costume of a Yankee auctioneer proceeded in a happy humorous way to dispose of the goods stocked up behind him. At 10 o'clock the gifts had all disappeared, and dancing was commenced and continued till midnight.

The committee in charge were Max Lawrence, Paul Uth, Charles Steinbach, and Herman Pflug. The Turn Verein has 100 members. The children's turning class has 200 members. There is a class for ladies with thirty members. There is a youths' class composed of boys between 14 and 18 years of age. There is a branch devoted to singing, and another to the cultivation of dramatic art. And altogether the Oakland Turn Verein is in a flourishing condition. The officers of the verein are: President, Julius Fischer; vice president, Gustave Schmidt; recording secretary, Herman Pflug; corresponding secretary, Henry A. Luddecke; treasurer, Herman Muhr.

Among those present last evening were: Mr. and Mrs. Julius Fischer, F. Sonderleiter, Mr. and Mrs. M. Swanson, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Conradi, Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kaiser, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kramm, Mr. and Mrs. J. Steinbach, Mr. and Mrs. Pflug, Julius Pflug, H. Feldtmann, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Schluter, F. W. Sonderleiter, Dr. and Mrs. Muhr, H. Muhr, Mr. and Mrs. John Bruning, C. H. Steinbach, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Warneke, Ernest Nordhausen, Mr. and Mrs. Hazelmann, Mr. and Mrs. H. Evers, Mr. and Mrs. William Solist, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Emlay, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Senram, Mr. and Mrs. John Fry, G. Beaton, Mr. and Mrs. Max Lawrence, Julius Bredhoff, Otto Seelard, John Tillman, Otto Rotermund, F. Rotermund, Mrs. Dana Wemmer, Mrs. Siebold, Mr. and Mrs. H. Glov, Mr. and Mrs. F. Stromberg, Paul Uth, August Fetsch, Henry Leffler, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Merten, D. Knabbe, Miss Gretchen Bernett, Miss Lilly Stewart, Miss Dolly Rowland, the Misses Mahl, Miss Jennie Davidson, Miss Belle Davidson, Mrs. Charles Beck, Miss Carrie Bock, Mrs. Doyle, Mrs. Hansen, Miss Ada Fry, Miss Emma Fry, Miss Meta Muller, Miss Sophie Steinbach, Miss Tillie Reier, Miss Emma Wemmer, Miss Lucy Walsh, Miss Sophie Hausen, Miss Adele Tode, Miss Alvina Tode, Miss A. Schneberg, Miss Sonderleiter, C. J. Hanna, A. N. Weilander, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Zeke Freelander, Willie Bruning, J. Bruning, Helen Bruning, Olena Bruning, Miss Carrie Johnson, Miss Ada Rosa.

SABBATARIANS.

Christmas Celebration of the Seventh Day Adventists.

Christmas was celebrated by the Seventh Day Adventists on Tuesday evening at their church, corner Twelfth and Brush streets. On either side of the pulpit stood a Christmas tree. Recitations, responsive service and an address to the children by Mrs. Waggoner were the exercises for the early part of the evening. D. Howe gave an address upon the missions of the Seventh Day Adventists. A subscription was taken up for foreign missionary work. One thousand dollars was the amount offered last year. A vessel will be built or purchased for missionary work among the islands of the sea which are not on the route of the regular steamers. One thousand two hundred dollars of the amount subscribed on Tuesday evening will be appropriated for this purpose.

SUN AND TIDE TABLE.

Dec	H. W. Large.	L. W. Large.	H. W. Small.	L. W. Small.	Sun R.	Sun S.
26	2.08 P	8.54 P	3.43 A	8.14 A	7.23	4.57
27	3.14 P	9.44 P	4.27 A	9.30 A	7.24	4.58
	Small.		Large.			
28	4.35 P	10.45 P	5.10 A	10.26 A	7.24	4.58
29	5.53 P	11.10 P	5.56 A	0.05 P	7.24	4.59
30	7.17 P	0.09 A	6.42 A	1.03 P	7.25	5.00
		Small.	Large			
31	8.36 P	0.33 A	7.25 A	2.05 P	7.25	5.01

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

TO ARRIVE.

NAME.	FROM.	DATE
Australia	Honolulu	Dec. 27
City of Puebla	Victoria*	Dec. 27
Mexico	San Diego*	Dec. 29
Oregon	Portland	Dec. 29

TO DEPART.

NAME.	FOR	DATE.
Corona	San Diego	Dec. 27
Newbern	Mexico	Dec. 27
Humboldt	Eureka*	Dec. 27
Columbia	Portland	Dec. 27

*And way ports.

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San Francisco......December 26, 1889

Arrived.

WEDNESDAY, December 25.

Stmr Corona, Ingalls, 47 hours from San Diego: pass and mdse, to Goodall, Perkins & Co.

Stmr Humboldt, Jessen, 26 hours from Eureka: pass and mdse, to Searles & Stone.

Stmr Whitesboro, Hansen, 36 hours from Whitesboro: 7000 railroad ties, to L E White.

Stmr Greenwood, Johnson 17 hours from Greenwood; 6000 railroad ties, to L E White.

Haw stmr Costa Rica, Salmond, 120 hours from Departure Bay; 2300 tons coal, to R Dunsmuir & Son.

Sailed.

WEDNESDAY, December 25.

Stmr Gipsy, Plummer, Santa Cruz.
Ship Palestine, Hayden, Tacoma.
Bark J D Peters, Townsend, Nanaimo.
Bark Melrose, Kalb, Seattle.
Bark Cowlitz, Gammon, Puget Sound.

☞NOTICE.—For births, marriages and deaths too late for this column see eighth page

BORN

ELLIS—In Sunol, December 24, to the wife of P. A. Ellis, a son.

BETZEL—In San Francisco, December 24, to the wife of Albert Betzel, a son.

CARROLL—In San Francisco, December 24, to the wife of Thomas H. Carroll, a son.

MOSS—In San Francisco, December 17, to the wife of A. Moss, a daughter.

MARRIED.

KINNE-WOOD—In Suisun, December 22, Frank A. Kinne and Laura M. Wood.

HINKLE-FRIES—In San Francisco, December 25, Charles D. Hinkle and Lucie Fries.

CULVER-SCHULDT — In San Francisco, Frank Culver and Ella Schuldt.

DIED

DOHERTY—In East Oakland, December 25, Mary A. Doherty, sister of Mrs. J. P. Montague, a native of South Boston, Mass., aged 48 years.

☞Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral TO-MORROW (Friday), December 27, at 2 P. M., from the residence of Captain J. P. Montague, 961 Fourth avenue, East Oakland.

KRAMBS—In this city, December 25, George William, youngest son of F. Krambs, aged 1 year and 5 months.

BROWN—In San Francisco, December 23, Mrs Christina C. Brown, aged 82 years and 9 months.

SCHRADER—In San Francisco, December 23, August Schrader, a native of Germany, aged 61 years, 5 months and 10 days.

CANTY—In San Francisco, December 23, Daniel Canty, a native of Ireland, aged 63 years.

NEILSON—In San Francisco, December 25, Anna K., child of Jens and Anna Neilson, a native of San Francisco, aged 1 year, 8 mos. and 20 days.

LAWLESS—In San Francisco, December 25, Edward F. Lawless, a native of California, aged 27 years.

DONAHUE—In San Francisco, December 25, F. B. Donahue, a native of Massachusetts.

JACK THE RIPPER.

Another Supposed Murder Bordering Upon the Selvage Edge of White Chapel.

A heavy trunk was to have been moved from 203 Eighth street yesterday, and when the Express Company called for it they noticed a terrible obnoxious smell. Their curiosity was at once aroused, and the driver suggested opening the trunk. "Youst youse look a letle oudt," was heard from the owner "Dot vas mine Limberger cheese dot youse smell, undt I vant mind drunk checked to Germany." "We check baggage to all parts of the United States," replied the driver of the Whitney Standard & Oakland Transfer Company. Their office is 422 Ninth street.

MY HEADACHE IS CURED.

That's What D. Hyman of 1063 Broadway Says.

For years I have suffered with sick headache, gastric acidity of stomach with great distress after eating, and constipation. I doctored and dieted all that time and no relief. Some three months ago I began treatment with Dr. Bluett of 1063 Broadway Oakland. From the first week's treatment I have no more headache or distress and am enjoying splendid health. D. Hyman, with Salinger Brothers, 1063 Broadway

Encyclopedias Given Away.

The popular dry goods firm of J. S. Gilmore & Co., Thirteenth and Washington streets, are out with a very liberal offer to their patrons. They have purchased 500 copies of "Bradbury's Encyclopædia of Practical Information," which they propose to distribute among their patrons in the following manner: Every purchaser will be given a ticket and the amount of their purchase each time will be punched on it, and when the entire ticket is used they will present the holder with a copy of the encyclopædia, which is a large book of almost 800 pages, nicely bound, and is a very useful, as well as ornamental, article.

Miraculous Escape From the Flood

Tuesday night the Sacramento levee broke, inundating Main Prairie fourteen feet. Houses were swept away, the inhabitants clinging to floating debris. Mr. Morres saved the lives of his family by utilizing for a raft a solid walnut bedstead he had purchased of Lyon & Co., the auctioneers in Oakland, fourteen years ago.

Toy Shop Gone Home to Roost.

Four hundred dollars worth of toys and fancy articles just received and must be sold at any price, at H. Schellhaas, Eleventh street.

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When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria

A BRIGHT eye, buoyant spirits, elastic step, contented mind and a healthy appetite are some of the results of the use of Hobb's Little Vegetable Pills.

W. C. Potter, of Waterford, N. Y., was confined to his house for nearly a year from liver complaint, being unable to attend to business. His physicians gave him no relief. WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY cured him.

He Once Lived Here.

The discharged soldier who committed suicide near the Benicia barracks, on Thursday last was at one time a resident of this city, but despondency caused him to wander away and finally he enlisted in the army. He became very despondent after living here for several years by discovering that he missed great bargains by not buying his meat at A. C. Reed's meat market at the corner of Seventeenth and Telegraph avenue. This is the best place in the city to buy turkeys or meat for the holidays, and customers may be always sure of prompt attention and the very finest meats the market affords.

A Good Resolution.

This is about the time of the year when the young man about town makes his good resolutions for the coming year. Not to drink and not to smoke are chestnuts with hoary beards, but one good resolution which he will stick to will be that after the first of January next he will never patronize any other tailor but Joe Lancaster, at the corner of Tenth and Washington streets, who makes the most famous clothes in the world.

Christmas Presents.

Christmas comes but once a year, and yet many people are puzzled what to buy their husband, wife or friend for a Christmas present. It is better to purchase something useful, and what is more useful than a good watch that will keep good time? For instance one of John Frey's elegant watches would make a lovely present; he has a large stock, both of ladies' and gents' watches, valuable diamonds and a complete line of jewelry purchased especially for the holidays. Remember the number, 1768 Seventh street.

A Sensational Divorce.

Mrs Rose Rothvill, one of the upper ten, ormerly of 2246 Madison street, today began proceedings for a divorce from L. H. Rothvill, alleging transferred affection. In August he sold to Lyon & Company, the largest firm of auctioneers in Oakland, his elegant furniture for $6728, and Mrs. Rothvill also sues to receive that amount and alimony from him.

Honesty and Fair Dealings

Keeps two double teams and a one-horse wagon busy delivering solid comfort in the shape of parlor and bedroom suits, toys, holiday presents. Come and see our assortment of goods, suitable for rich and poor. We must sell "em" before the holidays. Bring your children, all little ones under 3 receive a present at H. Schellhaas', 408 Eleventh street.

Eastern and European Hats.

Meyer & Williams are large importers; and the only manufacturing hatters in Oakland. They have just received a large invoice of Eastern and European hats of the latest styles and shapes. They make a specialty of silk hats, at 869 Broadway.

To the Public.

I wish to announce to my friends and the public in general that I have opened my new store at 867 Washington street, with a full line of household supplies and beautiful lamps.

Respectfully,
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Children are sometimes poisoned by eating cheap candy. If you want pure candies go where they are manufactured fresh every day by Lehnhardt, Fourteenth street, next door to Post-office.

Holiday Wines.

What is Christmas dinner without fine wine on the table, good brandy in the pudding? The best line of California wines and brandies for family use can be had at J. P. Rohrback & Co., 1720 Seventh street.

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HEALTH HINTS.

Some Suggestions Regarding The Treatment of Coughs And Colds.

A cold is usually the symptoms of some disease, the character of the cough denotes the nature of the disease. A cough should never be suppressed but the disease cured, then the cough will stop itself. The most common disease that causes coughing, is a cold When a person takes cold, many of the air cells of the lungs become obstructed with mucus, the coughing is an effort of nature to relieve the lungs and that is the first and most important thing to be done in treating a cold. The lungs should be relieved and the secretions opened, which is the best accomplished by giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is the only preparation in use that will cause the expulsion of mucus from the air cells of the lungs. It also renders the mucus less tenacious and easier to expectorate and opens the secretions, aiding nature in relieving the lungs and freeing the system of all morbid matter, effectually curing the cold. It acts in perfect harmony with nature and is the only preparation in common use that does. Nature's way is to open the secretions, render the mucus less tenacious and easier to expectorate and relieve the lungs and that is precisely the effect of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. You ask: "How do we know that is nature's way?" Because if your system is strong enough to stand it nature, will in time relieve it of the cold without the aid of any medicine and that is just the way it goes about it, but many an "iron constitution" has been severely racked by leaving nature alone and unaided to do the work. No one can afford to neglect a cold, as catarrh and chronic bronchitis are caused by neglected colds.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Anybody holding tickets on horse cart, and harness "DWYER," which was to take place on the November drawing of the Louisiana lottery, are notified that it has been withdrawn. Those holding tickets can have their money refunded by presenting them to H. White, 411 Eleventh street.

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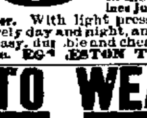
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Notice of Application for Street Railroad Franchise.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, AS caused to be done by the Council of the City of Oakland by its resolution number 14,550, adopted Dec. 19, 1889, that the Brooklyn and Fruit Vale Railroad Company has made application to said Council for a street railroad franchise in said City of Oakland, Alameda County, State of California, over and along the routes specified and described as follows, to wit:

First—Beginning at the point of intersection of the centre line of Thirteenth avenue with the centre line of East Eleventh street; running thence easterly along East Eleventh street to a point in front of the lot seventy-five (75) feet by one hundred and fifty (150) feet owned and occupied by the Brooklyn and Fruit Vale Railroad Company; thence in a northerly direction by the most practicable curves and tangents through and across block number thirty-nine, Clinton, according to Higley's map thereof, of record in the County Recorder's office of said Alameda County, (said Clinton being now a part of the City of Oakland); then crossing East Twelfth street and through and over block B. B. in said Clinton, as shown by said map, to a point in the northern line of East Fourteenth street, distant thereon easterly two hundred and eighty-four (284) feet, more or less, from the southeastern line of Thirteenth avenue: thence northeasterly crossing all intervening streets, alleyways, thoroughfares and public highways, and upon a line parallel with said Thirteenth avenue to the northern line of East Twenty-second street and southern end of the strip of land conveyed by J. V. Webster and others to the Brooklyn and Fruit Vale Railroad Company by deed dated June 1st, 1875, and recorded in Liber 113 of Deeds, at page 206, of the records of said Alameda County; thence northeasterly on and along said strip of land and upon, over and across all intervening streets, thoroughfares, alleys and public highways by the most practicable curves and tangents to a place on said strip between Grant street and Clinton street; thence easterly across Fourteenth avenue and Clinton street by the most feasible curves and tangents to a point in the eastern boundary line of the Town of Lynn, formerly so called, now a part of the City of Oakland, distant thereon one hundred (100) feet, more or less, southerly from the southern line of the County Road Survey number eleven hundred and thirty-five (1135); thence easterly by the most practicable curves, tangents and route to a point therein one hundred and sixty (160) feet, more or less, easterly from the northerly projection of the eastern line of Beulah Park Tract; thence southerly, easterly and northerly by the most practicable curves, tangents and route to the eastern boundary of the City of Oakland at its intersection with the said County Road at or near the bridge at that place, and along and upon the route in said city particularly described as follows, to wit:

Second—Commencing at the point of intersection of the center line of Thirteenth avenue with the center line of East Eleventh street, and running thence northeasterly along the center line of Thirteenth avenue to the center line of East Twenty-second street; thence easterly by the most practicable curves and tangents over and across block number one hundred and forty (140), as the same is delineated and so designated upon said Higley's Map of the Town of Clinton, to a point on or near the southern line of East Twenty-third street, at or near its intersection at that place with the strip of land above referred to as having been conveyed by J. V. Webster and others to The Brooklyn and Fruit Vale Railroad Company by deed dated June 1st, 1875, and recorded in Liber 113 of Deeds at page 206, of the records of Alameda County.

And that an offer is hereby made for said City Council to grant the franchise to the persons, company or corporation that shall agree to pay at the expiration of five years after said railroad is completed, and thereafter semiannually, the largest per centum of the gross receipts of such road according to a verified statement of the same.

Said Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids and may refuse to grant a franchise for the proposed routes, and in case no bids are made, may in its discretion grant a franchise for such period as may be deemed most expedient.

It is sought under said application to obtain the right in said franchise to operate upon such routes street cars, propelled by horses or mules—the term of which franchise is to be twenty-five years

By order of the Council of the City of Oakland.

Oakland, Dec. 19, 1889.

J. M. BRADY, City Clerk.

Oakland, Dec 20, 1889.

Probate Notice.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of August H. F Heyer, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of August H. F. Heyer, deceased, and for the issuance to Charles W. Heyer of letters of administration with the will annexed thereon, has been filed in this court and that Monday, the 6th day of January, A. D. 1890, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the courtroom of Department No. 3 of said court, at the Courthouse in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated December 26th, 1889.

CHAS. T. BOARDMAN, Clerk.

By FRANK J. KRAUTH, Deputy Clerk.

Order of Sale of Real Estate, Etc.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In re guardianship of the estate of J. V. Woodworth (insane).

It appearing to the said court from the duly verified petition on file herein of Eben Jordan, Esq., guardian of the estate of J. V. Woodworth, an insane person, that it is necessary to sell the real estate belonging to the estate of said insane Woodworth to maintain and support the said Woodworth, and to pay the debts, expenses, and charges of management of said estate. It is therefore ordered that the next of kin of the said Woodworth and all persons interested in the said estate appear before the said court on Monday, the 6th day of January, 1890, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the courtroom of said Superior Court at the County Courthouse of Alameda county, State of California, to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said Eben Jordan, guardian as aforesaid, to sell so much of the real estate of said insane and incompetent Woodworth as may be necessary, and it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published at least once a week for four successive weeks in THE OAKLAND DAILY EVENING TRIBUNE, a newspaper printed and published in said Alameda County.

E. M. GIBSON, Judge of the Superior Court.

Dated Dec. 23, 1889.

F. W. HENSHAW, Attorney for Guardian.

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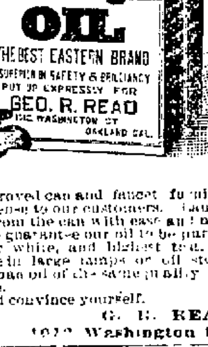

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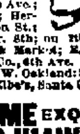
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STATE

—AND—

County Taxes.

1889.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Assessment Rolls for State and County Taxes for the year 1889, on all property within the County of Alameda, have been received by me; that said Taxes are now due, and payable at my office in the Courthouse of said County, in the City of Oakland, every day during office hours.

That said Taxes will be delinquent at 6 o'clock P. M. on

MONDAY, December 30, 1889

And that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

JAS. B. BARBER,

Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, Dated Oakland, October 28, 1889.

CITY

TAXES.

1889

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Assessment Roll for City Taxes for the year 1889, on all property in the City of Oakland, has been received by me That said taxes are now due and payable at my office, room 5, City Hall, Oakland, every day (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) during office hours. That said taxes will be delinquent at 6 P. M. on Monday, December 30th, 1889, and unless paid prior thereto, five per cent. will be added to the amount thereof.

Z. T. GILPIN,

Tax Collector of the City of Oakland

Oakland, October 29, 1889.

Notice to Bondholders.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Treasurer of Alameda County will, on the first day of January, 1890, redeem one-tenth part (twenty thousand dollars) of the whole amount of the County Building Bonds issued by said County under an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the erection of County Buildings in the County of Alameda, and for the issuance of bonds therefor," approved March 25, 1874, and proposals for the redemption of $20,000 of said bonds are hereby invited. Said proposals to be directed to the undersigned, by whom they will be opened at 12 o'clock, M., on the first day of January, 1890.

Dated at Oakland this 10th day of December, 1889.

S. HUFF,
Treasurer of Alameda County, Cal.

Assessment Notice.

THE OAKLAND ELECTRIC LIGHT AND Motor Company. Location of principal place of business, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Directors of this Company, held on the tenth day of December, 1889, an assessment of fifty cents (50c) per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately to the secretary of the company, at the office of the company, northwest corner Second and Webster streets, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the eighteenth day of January, 1890, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on the sixth day of February, 1890, at the hour of three o'clock P. M., to pay the delinquent assessment, together with cost of advertising and expenses of sale

H. LUND,
Secretary of The Oakland Electric Light and Motor Company, northwest corner Second and Webster streets, Oakland, California

Notice of Street Work.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT on the 16th day of December, A. D. 1889, the City Council of the City of Oakland passed Resolution of Intention number 14,562 to order the following street work to be done, viz.: That Grove street, from the easterly line of San Pablo avenue to the northern boundary line of said city, have constructed on each side thereof bituminous rock sidewalks, each six feet wide, according to the specifications therefor.

For further particulars reference is hereby made to said resolution and specifications on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Oakland. This notice shall be published for six days in THE DAILY EVENING TRIBUNE, being the newspaper designated by said City Council for said publication.

J. S. WALL,
Superintendent of Streets.
Oakland, December 23, 1889

Annual Meetings.

The Oakland Bank of Savings.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of The Oakland Bank of Savings will be held at the office of the corporation, corner Twelfth and Broadway, Oakland, Monday, January 13, 1890, at 3 P. M.

E. C. SESSIONS,
President.

Annual Meeting.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Mountain View Cemetery Association will be held at Tubbs' Hotel at 3 P. M. on Monday, January 6, 1890.

D. EDWARD COLLINS, Secretary.
Oakland, December 20, 1889.

Annual Meeting.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Stockholders of the Union Savings Bank of Oakland, Cal., will be held at the Banking House, southeast corner Ninth and Broadway, on Tuesday, January 14th, 1890, at 2 o'clock P. M.

A. E. H. CRAMER,
Secretary.

Union National Bank.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Stockholders of the Union National Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the Corporation, southeast corner Ninth and Broadway streets, in the City of Oakland, State of California, on Tuesday, the 14th day of January, 1890, at 3 o'clock P. M.

C. E. PALMER, Cashier.

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FROM THE TREE.

Answers to a Seasonable Question.

WHAT DID YOU GET FOR CHRISTMAS?

Some Were Remembered and Some Were Not, and Some Will Not Reply to the Query.

What did you get for Christmas?

THE ANSWERS.

Deputy County Clerk Hunter—One hundred dollars from my papa. Don't put it in the paper though, because my creditors might see it.

Deputy County Clerk Rev. G. W. Bothwell—We got a box of presents from the East.

Deputy County Clerk Krauth—What didn't I get.

County Clerk Charles T. Boardman—My wife gave me an awful handsome dressing gown.

Deputy County Clerk Overacker—My Christmas presents were few and far between.

Deputy County Clerk Edgar—A box of cigars.

Deputy County Clerk Sturtevant—Sturtevants, young and old, had their usual merry Christmas.

Thomas Huxley—I got myself and my dinner.

Cary Howard—I got an umbrella. Isn't that a good thing for this kind of a season?

George Chase—I got well satisfied.

S. Huff—I received a beautiful set of silver oyster forks from my grandson in Spokane Falls.

Deputy County Recorder Mason—I got lots. I can name elegant things.

Charles Ayer [illegible] off now. Think I am going to put in the paper what old Santa Claus [illegible].

DaRay Smith—I got some presents from my friends.

Rod W. Church—I got a turkey dinner; wasn't that pretty good?

George H. Allen—I didn't get anything to [illegible] away.

John C. Marsh—I didn't get anything.

Under Sheriff Harlow—Some elegant badges. That's what all the deputy sheriffs received. A remembrance from Sheriff Hale.

J. J. Hanifin—Many mysterious things.

T. P. Robinson—A good turkey dinner.

C. H. Whitton—Mine was a nice chicken dinner.

Emil Nusbaumer—[illegible] (and [illegible] played an elegant [illegible]) [illegible].

J[illegible] Stanley—Oh! I didn't get anything [illegible].

George M. Shaw—My wife gave me an [illegible] works.

[illegible] Japanese vase to [illegible] beautiful office. [illegible] received [illegible] pounds of sauerkraut and 50 cents' worth of Franklin [illegible].

Constable [illegible] crazy man and [illegible] morning.

Eugene [illegible] to say that Santa [illegible] might say I got a new lease on life for next year.

Ah You is not [illegible] months he has [illegible] might have [illegible] the city prison [illegible] tian hims[illegible] ney, Mr. [illegible] very [illegible] attorney $10 worth [illegible] a bronze vase that [illegible].

Jes [illegible] is a [illegible] why [illegible] Police [illegible] O'Brien each two silk handkerchiefs.

A [illegible] Christmas [illegible] invalid [illegible] sistant [illegible] receive [illegible] doctor and [illegible] a splendid Christmas [illegible].

Robert [illegible] Dr. Woolsey's youthful [illegible] the recipient [illegible] by the inmates [illegible] what I prize [illegible] a handsome hat band [illegible].

Co[illegible] I had a delightful [illegible] a number of small gifts. A lot of my friends remembered me.

Coroner Evers—These slippers from Deputy [illegible] number of gifts from my [illegible] friends.

Deputy [illegible]—I got a box of cigars [illegible].

Dr. A. [illegible] I got several presents [illegible] was kept busy with the patients [illegible] day.

Charles [illegible] worked all day, but manage[illegible].

Walter [illegible] received a new hat from Oregon, and my sister gave me an oil painting.

Mike McQuinn—What did I get? Why, I [illegible] I'm alive.

William [illegible] get anything, but I would have [illegible] three days if my friends hadn't taken me home.

George Demaras—An enemy of mine who had a grudge against me presented me with a turkey.

W[illegible] S.

[illegible] to Make [illegible].

"I [illegible]" said R. L. [illegible] up in the dock [illegible] and looked down [illegible]. The [illegible] battery on [illegible] wife. "But, I wish your honor would be lenient with me," he continued.

"You had better hear the complaining witness," suggested Mr. Church, and Mrs. Cochran, a little, wan looking woman took the stand.

"He is lazy and don't work half the time," said his wife to Judge Laidlaw, "and on Christmas Day we had but four bits in the house and someone else gave me four bits, and I went down to Mr. Moffitt's place and got a turkey and with the dollar I got some little things, and by and by he came home and began to make a row, and I asked him to be quiet for the children's sake, and he struck me with his hand and knocked me into the pantry."

"Sentence tomorrow," said Judge Laidlaw very shortly, and there was a cold glitter in his grey eyes that even the spectacles couldn't hide.

George W. Grear had his case continued until tomorrow. Grear is wanted for the same offense. He celebrated Christmas by getting drunk and when he came home he objected to his wife's few poor little attempts at making Christmas happy, and he began to beat her. Then, tired out with his own exertion, he went to bed fully dressed, whence he was aroused by Officer Scanlan, who let him spend the rest of the day in the city prison.

NO TURKEY FOR TRAMPS.

Christmas Spread at the County Jail.

The usual Christmas turkey dinner was served to the prisoners in the county jail yesterday afternoon. The prisoners in China alley, who are all serving time for vagrancy, were not treated to turkey — not even cold turkey, but were compelled to accept the usual bill of fare. Those who donated to the dinner were: Phelan & Fish, Merrimar & Co, Thomson's bakery, John [illegible]ushing, and Louis Schaeffer. Sheriff Hale also sent some money to Under Sheriff Harlow to purchase some turkeys for the prisoners in order that every man in the jail, save tramps, might enjoy a good dinner.

ROSCOE'S REWARD.

The Testimonial to Coughlan, the Speedy Twirler.

Roscoe Coughlan, the baseball pitcher who was presented with a gold watch and chain a few nights ago, received this communication, and also a list of the names of the persons who subscribed to the watch fund:

To Roscoe Coughlan, Pitcher and Pennant Winner of Oakland Baseball Nine, Season 1889: The gift received by you a few nights since was offered not as a reward, but merely in recognition of the qualities, professional and social, which your friends delight to honor.

With the former you won for your team and for our city the baseball championship of the coast, and that under trials not light and injustice not easily to be borne. With the latter you have earned the respect and friendship of "the people."

Professionally it is your business to deceive and your art to be tricky, and so though it may strike harsh upon the ear we are compelled to admit that you are master in the art of trickery and deceit. Thus likewise we, your warmest friends, cannot deny that you are fast and that your pace is "the pace that kills."

But if it be asked why we have not expostulated with you over these matters our answer is, because socially, we know you to be a modest, genial and conscientious gentleman; one who "stays" forever when he is right, and "quits" promptly when he is wrong.

We are told that the pitcher which goes too often to the well is sure to get broke; this also happens sometimes to the baseball pitcher, and so it may occur in your career that you will find yourself practicing with the "three balls of our uncle," instead of the little sphere you handle so well. If good wishes count for anything this will never be. But in the game of life, whether adversity strikes you out or prosperity scores you a home run, you will always have a warm place in the esteem of etc.

The names of the subscribers are: John R. Glascock, T. C. Coogan, R. W. Church, Frank J. Moffitt, Frank E. Brigham, E. F. Thayer, R. N. Risdon, George Teller, Forrest Seabury, A. C. Donnell, J. A. Folger, F. S. Stratton, C. O. Alexander, V. H. Metcalf, F. G. Drum, Arthur J. McNally, A. Hirshberg, C. W. Kirkland, W. G. Hawkett, F. W. Henshaw, George C. Hunt, George Burbeck, L. G. Burpee, F. Sinclair, Oakland Fruit and Produce Company, F. Reed, W. Laymance, G. W. Frick, W. S. O'Brien, C. B. Overacker, E. H. Cool, T. O. Crawford, J. W. McClymonds, C. L. Dam, J. M. Brady, A. W. Havens, F. E. Whitney, J. J. White, John A. Britton, J. J. Marchovich, A. L. Frick, H. O. Trowbridge, F. E. Bernstein, R. E. Irvine, W. E. Brooks, W. T. Hyde, Frank Pinkham, George Leiter, Kricks & Fuegel, C. D. Pierce, W. M. Kent, Ned Campbell, D. Carneal, Sam Hunter, George Fish, Harry Houghton, Harry Gordon, S. B. Force, George Fish and Claude Reiley.

CERTIFICATES.

Successful Applicants at the Teacher's Examination.

The County Board of Education this afternoon declared the result of the recent teacher's examination and granted certificates as follows:

Grammar school course—Mary J. Colehan, Livermore; W. J. Connell, Oakland; Mary Bently, Woodbridge.

Grammar grade—Jessie D. Cornor, Oakland.

Primary grade—Ida A. Martin, San Francisco; Lillie K. Burke, San Francisco; Rose Lowrey, Oakland; Erskine E. Esdon, Livermore; Lillie Pryal, Claremont; Edward L. Haines, Decoto; Alice Lewis, San Francisco; Florence E. Branch, Oakland; Josephine R. Mawson, Oakland; Mary A. Kastens, Oakland; Helen J. Scotchler, Oakland.

There were thirty-seven applicants and only fifteen received certificates.

CHRISTMAS DRUNKS.

Eighteen of Them Wind up in the City Prison.

Drunk! drunk! drunk!

There was a long list that stretched to-day way down the police court calendar, and told the story of many a social Christmas glass, that brought those who indulged to the city prison before their day was half spent.

"I would fine everyone of them $1 or half a day," said M. C. Chapman. "It was Christmas and I would let them enjoy it in their own way."

But Judge Laidlaw decided that a Christmas drunk was as bad as any other and gave them $6 or three days. Many forfeited bail. There were eighteen Christmas drunks.

ALASKA COAL COMPANY.

Incorporated With a Capital Stock of Two Million Dollars.

Articles of incorporation of the Alaska Coal Company were filed with the County Clerk this afternoon. The company purposes to mine, to deal in coal and other fuel, etc. The capital stock is $2,000,000, divided into 200,000 shares of the value of $10 each. The subscribers are: E. M. Patterson, B. E. Handy, W. H. Craig of Oakland and L. B. Hatch and D. C. Gray of San Francisco, each $100,000.

PERSONAL MENTION.

—Henry George is expected here about February 10th.

—Dr. W. S. Taylor of Livermore is going to Europe on a visit.

—John McBrown, formerly of this city, is suffering from paralysis at Gold Hill.

—Mrs. J. Millard Fillmore and Miss Fillmore are sojourning at Tubbs Hotel.

—Wells Fargo & Co. had twelve delivery wagons running all day yesterday.

—Arthur Williams, a wholesale butcher of Walnut Creek, spent Christmas in Oakland.

—Harry Mamion from Rhonerville, Humboldt county, is visiting Oso Cliff at 566 Sixteenth street.

—Miss Lotta Cliff has just returned from Napa College, and is spending the holidays with her parents at 566 Sixteenth street.

—H. H. Derr, recently telegraph operator at the Market street depot, has been sent to Sacramento and his place supplied by Con O'Connor of San Francisco.

—Dr. E. H. Woolsey, who has been confined to his bed with a severe cold for several days past, is rapidly recovering, and was able to be out of bed today.

—Austin Hamlin, assistant secretary of the Y. M. C. A., had some of the young men of the association at his house for dinner yesterday. There were present, Austin Hamlin and family, John Little, Walter Adams, William Prescott, George Howland, Benjamin Funcheon, George L. Reed and E. W. Hamlin.

—Richard Daly, whose wife was struck by a stone in the vicinity of Twenty-second street and San Pablo avenue Tuesday night, yesterday learned that he was mistaken in believing and stating that the stone was thrown by John Connolly, and desires to exculpate Connolly from the blame thereof.

Winners in a Raffle.

The following numbers were the lucky ones in the raffle at Fibush Brother's cigar store on Christmas Eve: Number 881 wins the gold headed cane; number 319 wins the silver beaded cane; number 311 wins the cigar holder; number 771 wins the cigarette holder.

Not Suffering for a Drink.

Stockton Mail.

"Who should treat the river?" solemnly asks the Sacramento *Record-Union*. Why, nobody thought it was dry.

THE MORNING SMITH.

A Crank Wants to Change the Name of the "Examiner."

As the Piedmont entered the slip at the pier this afternoon a man took a flying leap from the upper deck and landed on the deck. Officer Rand sent him to the city prison where he gave the name of Athbert-on Smith.

"I was converted, born again at Mrs. Woodworth's tent," said he, "and there I learned that I was the only son of Jesus Christ, and that I have come, like my father, to save the world. I can do everything that my father did in Jerusalem 1800 years ago. I am the smartest man in the world, and I was born in Oakland and have been sent to California, as my father was born in Nazareth and sent to Judah 1800 years ago. My father has chosen *The Examiner* to be his paper and it is to be changed to the *Morning Smith* and one third the population of the world will take it." Here he became a little mixed and announced that he could prophecy, and he prophesied that M. H. De Young was editor of the *Examiner*, and wound up by appointing Chief Tompkins, Captain Wilson and Jailer Quackenbush his disciples.

A BURGLARY.

Property Valued at $100 Stolen From a House.

W. A. Teeney, residing on Andover street, reported to the police authorities this afternoon that his residence had been entered by burglars last night while the family were away. A back window had been forced open and considerable jewelry and wearing apparel stolen, the whole amounting to about $100. He suspects tramps of having done the work, because a number of them have been prowling around the neighborhood for several days past. At the corner of Edwards and Andover streets is a dwelling house formerly occupied by C. B. Parcells, now vacant, with a barn in the rear of the lot. Tramps have been occupying the barn for some time, and one night last week it was discovered to be on fire. C. F. Whitton who resides next door, and others, organized a bucket brigade and after a hard fight the flames were extinguished but not until considerable damage had been done. The fire is supposed to have been the work of tramps and the matter has been referred to the detectives for investigation.

NOBTHER WILL FIGHT.

He Denies That He Was Cruel to His Children.

John Nobther, the man who is accused of treating his two little children in a cruel manner called on the District Attorney this afternoon and demanded that an order be made returning to him the children, who are now at the West Oakland Home. The District Attorney informed him that he could do nothing in the matter, and Nobther remarked that he would fight for his children. He says that he proposes to return to the Azores Islands with his family and wants to take his children with him. Mrs. McWade will probably refuse to give up the little ones, and Nobther will be compelled to commence habeas corpus proceedings.

Necrology.

The remains of Margaret L. Duncan, 78 years of age, were brought from Vallejo this morning, and interred in Mountain View Cemetery by Undertaker Hamilton. No services were held in this city.

Onorato Bralla, a native of Italy, 38 years of age, died this morning at his rooms, corner of Second and Broadway, of pneumonia. The announcement of the funeral will be made later.

Mary A. Doherty, a sister of Mrs. J. P. Montague, died yesterday at the Montague residence, after a short illness. The funeral will be held from 961 Fourth avenue at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The deceased was a native of South Boston, Mass.

Turning the Tables.

Henry Quellen and Benjamin Clark, the Alameda undertakers who removed the body of H. F. Solaro from this city without a permit from the Health Officer, pleaded not guilty this morning to a charge of violating an ordinance, and their cases were set for February 11th and 18th respectively. Coroner Evers has been arrested twice in Alameda for a similar violation of ordinance.

They Want Lightning.

A petition has been presented for an electric light tower on the corner of Seventeenth avenue and East Twenty-third street "in place of the isolated gas lamp that is inadequate to insure the safety of pedestrians."

JUBILEE JANE.

An Unprincipled Scheme to Send Her to the Insane Asylum to Reap the Benefit of Her Property.

Josulyn Crouner had his sister Jane, better known as "Jubilee Jane" on account of her continual singing, arraigned before the committee of examiners this morning in order to have her adjudged insane. The first question she answered properly, which was this "If you were going away Jane, what would be the first thing you would do?" The ready answer was, "I would telephone for the People's Express and Transfer Co., to check my trunk to New York." They check baggage to all parts of the United States from your residence; besides doing a general xpress and transfer business. Special care taken in moving furniture, pianos, etc. Call telephone 326, or leave your order at 423 Tenth street, and you will never be examined for insanity.

Drop in to George's Exchange, 477 Eighth street, for fresh beer on tap, choice wines, liquors and cigars, and weiss beer.

TO CHICAGO WITHOUT CHANGE.

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At O'Connell & Co., 469 Ninth street, near Broadway; an unequalled assortment of fine hosiery, silk, cashmere lisle and ingrain cotton, of the finest fashion and finish; purchased at half price, and selling at half price; being a lot of samples; a bona fide bargain.

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F. R. GIRARD sells pianos cheaper than any other house.

THE McMillian pants, orders taken at 1242 San Pablo avenue, E. M. Stacey.

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DIED.

LIVERMORE—In San Francisco, December 25, Grace, beloved daughter of Horatio P. and Mattie Banks Livermore, aged 20 years, 8 months and 22 days.

Funeral services at 2021 California street, San Francisco, at 11:30 A. M. on Friday, December 27th. Interment private, in Mountain View Cemetery, Oakland. Please omit flowers.

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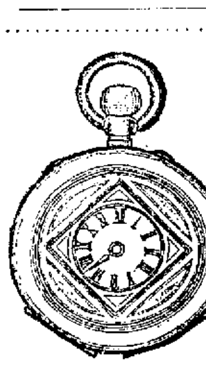

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HOURIET is closing out his entire stock of jewelry, clocks and watches regardless of cost at 1224 San Pablo avenue.

CALL at 1220 San Pablo avenue, and select from 160 different kinds of CRACKERS, always fresh and crisp.

CORNUCOPIAS, Christmas tree ornaments and pure candies for Christmas at 1011 Broadway.

SEND in your orders for ice cream for Christmas to Brookes' 1205 Broadway. Delivered free.

GUITARS, banjos, etc., at Girard's Music Store, Broadway, near Fourteenth street.

BUY your wife a fine corset for a Christmas present at A. Coplin's Corset House, 1157 Broadway. He keeps the best.

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SHEET MUSIC, Weber and Emerson Pianos, at Clark Wise's, 1008 Broadway

F. R. GIRARD, 1159 Broadway, near Fourteenth street, has the largest stock of pianos and musical merchandise in Oakland.

Removal.

Mrs. L. A. Young, medical electrician, has removed from 461 Ninth street to 1303 Telegraph ave., cor. 16th st. All kinds of chronic diseases treated. Electric and steam baths given.

TAFT & PENNOYER are showing an immense line of curtains, portieres and rugs.

To the young face Pozzoni's Complexion Powder gives fresher charms, to the old renewed youth. Try it.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

EASTERN black walnut Nugat and Huyler's confections at Bacon's, 965 Broadway.

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"Say Come On!"

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THE Denver State Lottery Co want agents. Tickets 50 cents. Address A. C. Ross & Co., Denver, Col.

BEFORE you take the train step into the Time Card Saloon, cor. 7th and Webster; fine wines, liquors and cigars

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FOR YOUNG LADIES AND LITTLE GIRLS,

Seventh avenue and Sixteenth Street, East Oakland, Cal., will reopen on **Wednesday, January 8, 1890.**

Resolution Ordering the Work and Notice to Contractors.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OAKland, at its meeting on the 19th day of December, 1889, passed the following Resolution, No. 14,587.

Resolved, That the Council of the City of Oakland deems it to be required by the public interest and convenience, and hereby orders the following street work to be done according to the specifications therefor adopted or herein mentioned, or as contained in its Ordinance, approved July 19th, 1889, number 1087, to wit:

That Twenty-second street in said city, from the west line of Market street to the east line of Adeline street, be graded, wooden curbed, and macadamized (macadam to be first class) to the official line and grade; also, that four crosswalks at each of its crossings with Filbert, Linden, and Chestnut streets be constructed thereon.

The Clerk of this Council is hereby directed to post conspicuously, for five days, on or near the Council Chamber door of this city, notice hereof with specifications, inviting sealed proposals or bids for said work, and requiring therewith a certified check or a bond, either, for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposals, all as prescribed by law.

He is also directed to publish in THE OAKLAND DAILY EVENING TRIBUNE, a daily newspaper published and circulated in this city, therefor and hereby designated for that purpose, both, a copy of this Resolution, and also, after its posting, his notice of such posting, each for two days.

Pursuant to Statute and to the foregoing Resolution the undersigned invites and will receive at his office in the City Hall, up to 5 o'clock P. M., of the 6th day of January, 1890, sealed proposals or bids for the above street work, to be done according to the specifications therein mentioned.

Bidders must file with each proposal or bid a certified check or bond as prescribed in above Resolution and according to law.

Clerk's Office, City of Oakland, Dec. 26th, 1889. J. M. BRADY, City Clerk.

WEAK MEN MADE STRONG

LOCAL ABSORPTION. A new Treatise showing how men suffering from NERVOUS DEBILITY, LOST VIGOR, PREMATURE DECLINE, and all Kidney and Bladder difficulties, can find perfect health and vigor without stomach medication. Sent sealed free on application.

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Resolution Ordering the Work and Notice to Contractors.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OAKland, at its meeting on the 19th day of December, 1889, passed the following Resolution, No. 14,585.

Resolved, That the Council of the City of Oakland deems it to be required by the public interest and convenience, and hereby orders the following street work to be done according to the specifications therefor adopted or herein mentioned, or as contained in its Resolution number 13,647 to wit:

That Twenty-eighth street in said city, from the west line of Magnolia street to the sewer in center of Union street, be sewered with a vitrified ironstone pipe eight inches in diameter; also, that 12 "Y" branches of 5 inch openings, one to each lot fronting thereon, one iron ventilating manhole at Magnolia street, and one iron ventilating manhole at Union street, be constructed thereon.

The Clerk of this Council is hereby directed to post conspicuously, for five days, on or near the Council Chamber door of this city, notice hereof with specifications, inviting sealed proposals or bids for said work, and requiring therewith a certified check or a bond, either, for an amount not less than ten per cent. of the aggregate of the proposals, all as prescribed by law.

He is also directed to publish in THE OAKLAND DAILY EVENING TRIBUNE, a daily newspaper published and circulated in this city, therefor and hereby designated for that purpose, both, a copy of this Resolution, and also, after its posting, his notice of such posting, each for two days.

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Bidders must file with each proposal or bid a certified check or bond as prescribed in above Resolution and according to law.

Clerk's Office, City of Oakland, Dec. 26th, 1889. J. M. BRADY, City Clerk.

Resolution Ordering the Work and Notice to Contractors.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OAKland, at its meeting on the 19th day of December, 1889, passed the following Resolution, No. 14,584.

Resolved, That the Council of the City of Oakland deems it to be required by the public interest and convenience, and hereby orders the following street work to be done according to the specifications therefor adopted or herein mentioned, or as contained in its Resolution number 13,647, to wit:

That Third street in said city, from the center line of Chester street to the center line of Henry street, be sewered with an eight inch vitrified ironstone pipe; also, that twenty "Y" branches of six inch openings, one to each 25 feet of frontage, two T branches with standpipe, one at Henry street and one at Chester street, and one brick ventilating manhole half way between Henry and Chester streets be constructed thereon.

The Clerk of this Council is hereby directed to post conspicuously, for five days, on or near the Council Chamber door of this city, notice hereof with specifications, inviting sealed proposals or bids for said work, and requiring therewith a certified check or a bond, either, for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposals, all as prescribed by law.

He is also directed to publish in THE OAKLAND DAILY EVENING TRIBUNE, a daily newspaper published and circulated in this city, therefor and hereby designated for that purpose, both, a copy of this Resolution, and also, after its posting, his notice of such posting, each for two days.

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Bidders must file with each proposal or bid a certified check or bond as prescribed in above Resolution and according to law.

Clerk's Office, City of Oakland, Dec. 26th, 1889. J. M. BRADY, City Clerk.

Resolution Ordering the Work and Notice to Contractors.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OAKland, at its meeting on the 19th day of December, 1889, passed the following Resolution, No. 14,582:

Resolved, That the Council of the City of Oakland deems it to be required by the public interest and convenience, and hereby orders the following street work to be done according to the specifications therefor adopted or herein mentioned, or as contained in its Ordinance approved July 19th, 1889, Number 1087, to wit:

That Chestnut street in said city, from the south line of 21st street to the westerly line of San Pablo avenue, be graded, wooden curbed, and macadamized (macadam to be second class) to the official line and grade; also, that 4 crosswalks at each of its crossings with 21st, 24th, 26th, 28th, 30th, 32nd, and 34th streets be constructed thereon, as follows: 3 at 21st street, 1 at 24th street, and 2 each at its crossings with 26th, 28th, 30th, 32nd, and 34th streets.

The Clerk of this Council is hereby directed to post conspicuously, for five days, on or near the Council Chamber door of this city, notice hereof with specifications, inviting sealed proposals or bids for said work, and requiring therewith a certified check or a bond, either, for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposals, all as prescribed by law.

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Bidders must file with each proposal or bid a certified check or bond as prescribed in above Resolution and according to law.

Clerk's Office, City of Oakland, Dec. 26th, 1889. J. M. BRADY, City Clerk

Resolution Ordering the Work and Notice to Contractors.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OAKland, at its meeting on the 19th day of December, 1889, passed the following Resolution, No 14,586.

Resolved, That the Council of the City of Oakland deems it to be required by the public interest and convenience, and hereby orders the following street work to be done according to the specifications therefor adopted or herein mentioned, or as contained in its Resolution number 13,647, to wit:

That Thirteenth street in said city, from the sewer in center of West street to the sewer on west side of Grove street, be sewered with a vitrified ironstone pipe eight inches in diameter; also, that thirty-four Y branches, one to each corner lot and one to every twenty-five feet of remaining frontage, be constructed; also, that one brick ventilating manhole, at a point 360 feet east of the east line of West street be constructed thereon.

The Clerk of this Council is hereby directed to post conspicuously, for five days, on or near the Council Chamber door of this city, notice hereof with specifications, inviting sealed proposals or bids for said work, and requiring therewith a certified check or a bond, either, for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposals, all as prescribed by law.

He is also directed to publish in THE OAKLAND DAILY EVENING TRIBUNE, a daily newspaper published and circulated in this city, therefor and hereby designated for that purpose, both, a copy of this Resolution, and also, after its posting, his notice of such posting, each for two days.

Pursuant to Statute and to the foregoing Resolution the undersigned invites and will receive at his office in the City Hall, up to 5 o'clock P. M. of the 6th day of January, 1890, sealed proposals or bids for the above street work, to be done according to the specifications therein mentioned.

Bidders must file with each proposal or bid a certified check or bond as prescribed in above Resolution and according to law.

Clerk's Office, City of Oakland, Dec. 26, 1889. J. M. BRADY, City Clerk.

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Commencing **Saturday, December 28th**, and ending **Saturday, January 25th**, I will offer **Thirteen Lots of Goods** in my line, one lot each on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays of each week, at **Ridiculously Low Prices**, to clear out Residue of Holiday Goods and reduce stock generally preparatory to stock taking February 1st.

One window will be constantly devoted to the display of these Job Lots, with prices plainly marked and without reserve.

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Resolution Ordering the Work and Notice to Contractors.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OAKland, at its meeting on the 19th day of December, 1889, passed the following Resolution, No. 14,583.

Resolved, That the Council of the City of Oakland deems it to be required by the public interest and convenience, and hereby orders the following street work to be done according to the specifications therefor adopted or herein mentioned, to wit:

That a catchbasin according to plan "D" in City Engineer's office be constructed at the northwest corner of Ninth and Cypress streets; also, that an eight inch vitrified ironstone conduit pipe connecting said catchbasin with the Ninth street sewer at Cypress street be constructed.

The Clerk of this Council is hereby directed to post conspicuously, for five days, on or near the Council Chamber door of this city, notice hereof with specifications, inviting sealed proposals or bids for said work, and requiring therewith a certified check or a bond, either, for an amount not less than ten per cent. of the aggregate of the proposals, all as prescribed by law.

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Clerk's Office, City of Oakland, Dec. 26th, 1889. J. M. BRADY, City Clerk.

LOST—A POCKET BOOK CONtaining money and several papers of no value to anyone but the owner. Return to THE TRIBUNE office and receive liberal reward. de26-1wx

LOST—MONDAY, DECEMBER 23D, a purse containing some money and a bill. Return to THE TRIBUNE office and receive reward. de26-3tx

WANTED—BY AN OLD ESTABlished house, lady over 20, for permanent position. Address, with reference, B. L. & Co., box 2, TRIBUNE office. de26-1wx

WANTED—A SITUATION AT house cleaning by a competent man. Address 1161 Fifth street, Oakland. de26-1wx

AN EXPERIENCED WOMAN wants a situation by Monday, the 30th of December, as cook or to do housework. Good references. Apply E. L., box 2, this office. de26-3tx

SITUATION WANTED IN A SMALL family as cook by an American woman. Address N. P., 513 Eleventh street. de26 3tx

A COMPETENT WOMAN WOULD like a situation as cook; no objection to the country; lately from the East; best of reference. Apply at the Alta House, room 23, corner Eighth and Washington sts. de26-3tx